

**PUBLIC AGENDA  
SASKATOON BOARD OF POLICE COMMISSIONERS**

Thursday, September 15, 2016, 12:00 pm  
Committee Room A, Second Floor, City Hall  
**COMMISSIONERS:**

Commissioner D. Brander, Chair  
Commissioner Mayor D. Atchison  
Commissioner C. Clark  
Commissioner D. Hill  
Commissioner C. Inglis-McQuay

**Pages**

**1. MINUTES/DELEGATIONS/PRESENTATIONS**

**1.1 Call to Order**

**1.2 Confirmation of Agenda**

**Recommendation**

That the agenda be confirmed as presented.

**1.3 Adoption of Minutes**

**Recommendation**

That the minutes of regular meeting of the Board of Police Commissioners held on June 16, 2016 be adopted.

**1.4 Delegations**

**1.5 Chair's Report**

**1.6 Chief's Report**

**1.7 Environmental Scan**

## 2. CORRESPONDENCE/CITY COUNCIL REFERRALS

- 2.1 **Communication - Traffic Enforcement - Right Turns on Bike Lanes on 4th Avenue - Gary Harrison** 5 - 5

The referenced communication is attached.

### **Recommendation**

That the information be received and forwarded to the Saskatoon Police Service for any further handling.

- 2.2 **Communication - Plane Noise - Leigh Herman** 6 - 6

The referenced communication is attached.

### **Recommendation**

That the information be received and forwarded to the Saskatoon Police Service for any further handling and response to the writer.

- 2.3 **Communication - Policing in Evergreen - Sonya Sereda (forwarded by Mayor Atchison)** 7 - 9

The referenced communication is attached.

### **Recommendation**

That the information be received and forwarded to the Saskatoon Police Service for any further handling and response to the writer.

- 2.4 **Request to Speak - Racial Profiling - Dion Waniandy** 10 - 10

The referenced request to speak is attached.

### **Recommendation**

That the speaker be heard and the information be received.

- 2.5 **Communications - Conflict of Interest Policy - Regina Board of Police Commissioners and Prince Albert Board of Police Commissioners** 11 - 13

The referenced communications are attached.

### **Recommendation**

That the information be received.

**2.6 Communication - Saskatchewan Police Commission - 2015-16 Annual Report**

Board members may access the electronic version of the report on the Commission website at:

<http://www.publications.gov.sk.ca/deplist.cfm?d=9&c=422>

A hard copy of the report is available from the Secretary.

**Recommendation**

That the information be received.

**2.7 Communication - Policing and Community Safety Services - Public Disclosure - Annual Report**

Copies of the report are provided for Board members only. The report may be accessed at the Ministry's website at:

<http://www.publications.gov.sk.ca/deplist.cfm?d=9&c=336>

**Recommendation**

That the information be received.

**2.8 Communication - Saskatoon Police Service 2015 Annual Report - Saskatoon Police Service**

14 - 14

The referenced communication and report are attached (limited distribution).

**Recommendation**

That the information be received.

**3. ROUTINE/STATISTICAL REPORTS**

**3.1 Appreciation to the Saskatoon Police Service**

15 - 73

A report of the Chief of Police dated September 1, 2016 is attached.

**Recommendation**

That the information be received.

**4. RESPONSES TO BOARD REFERRALS**

## 5. OTHER

### 5.1 Action Plans to Reduce Lost Time Injury Frequency

74 - 81

At the June 27, 2016 meeting of City Council it was resolved that the Board of Police Commissioners be requested to provide additional information on its action plans to reduce lost time injury and frequency.

A report of the Chief of Police dated August 26, 2016 is attached.

#### **Recommendation**

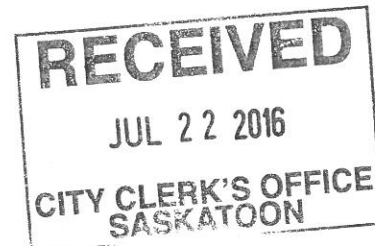
That the information be received and forwarded to City Council.

## 6. BOARD INQUIRIES



5300-1

**From:** Gary Harrison <pgharrison@sasktel.net>  
**Sent:** July 21, 2016 11:38 PM  
**To:** Web E-mail - City Clerks  
**Subject:** Right turns on bike lanes



Submitted on Thursday, July 21, 2016 - 23:38  
Submitted by anonymous user: 204.83.49.119  
Submitted values are:

First Name: Gary  
Last Name: Harrison  
Email: pgharrison@sasktel.net  
Confirm Email: pgharrison@sasktel.net  
Phone Number: (306) 233-5243

==Your Message==

Service category: City Bylaws & Policies

Subject: Right turns on bike lanes

Message:

I can't tell you how disturbed I am with the traffic enforcement I encountered this morning in downtown Saskatoon. It's been two years since I've been downtown and being from out of town I was totally unaware of the prohibition of a right hand turn on a red light on 4th avenue. After being waved in by an officer I was advised of the prohibition and shown the obscure sign well above the red light. The officer was professional however I can't help but think this has way more to do with a cash grab by the city then it has to do with cyclist safety. As I sat and waited for my offence notice, I counted 12 other vehicles that made the same right hand turn on the red light that I had done. I'm not complaining that they weren't ticketed but it certainly told me that this was a poorly advertised change to traffic regulation in the city. I feel sorry for the constable who was ordered to enforce this bylaw as I'm sure he must have taken a great deal of abuse during this shift. The city should be ashamed of putting good young staff in situations that rile supporters of law enforcement efforts and are only looking for revenue

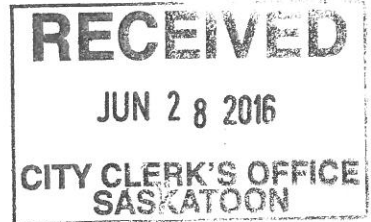
I know the legal system and will be paying my fine but certainly will remember the event on future trips to the city

Yours respectfully

Gary harrison  
Attachment:

5000-1

**From:** Leigh Herman <Leighherman@sasktel.net>  
**Sent:** Monday, June 27, 2016 9:37 PM  
**To:** Web E-mail - City Clerks  
**Subject:** joyride



Submitted on Monday, June 27, 2016 - 21:36  
Submitted by anonymous user: 64.110.216.228  
Submitted values are:

First Name: Leigh  
Last Name: Herman  
Email: Leighherman@sasktel.net  
Confirm Email: Leighherman@sasktel.net  
Phone Number: (306) 222-1715

==Your Message==

Service category: City Bylaws & Policies

Subject: joyride

Message:

You know how annoying a mosquito is buzzing around your head, well that plane ripping through the skys for the last few nights is about a million times worse considering thousands of people have to listen to it, even in their own home and there is no way to swat it out of the air. How can this even be legal? Please put a limit to this befor it becomes common.

Thanks

Attachment:

Would you like to receive a short survey to provide your feedback on our customer service? The information you share will be used to improve the service we provide to you and all of our customers.:

No

## Sproule, Joanne (Clerks)

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**From:** Web E-mail - Mayor's Office  
**Sent:** Tuesday, June 28, 2016 9:51 AM  
**To:** Sproule, Joanne (Clerks)  
**Subject:** FW: Provide Feedback [REDACTED]

Good morning Joanne:

Mayor Atchison asked me to forward [REDACTED] concerns regarding policing in Evergreen to the Board of Police Commissioners.

Thank you,

**Anna Kirchmeier | tel 306.975.3202**

Office of the Mayor  
City of Saskatoon | 222 3rd Avenue North | Saskatoon SK S7K 0J5  
[mayors.office@saskatoon.ca](mailto:mayors.office@saskatoon.ca)  
[www.saskatoon.ca](http://www.saskatoon.ca)

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Please contact the sender and delete the message and any attachments.*

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**From:** Web E-mail - Mayor's Office  
**Sent:** Tuesday, June 28, 2016 9:45 AM  
**To:** [REDACTED]  
**Subject:** RE: Provide Feedback [REDACTED]

Dear [REDACTED]

This is to acknowledge receipt of your emails dated May 30 and June 13.

I am forwarding this matter to the Board of Police Commissioners.

Thank you for writing.

Sincerely,

Donald Atchison  
Mayor

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**From:** [REDACTED]  
**Sent:** Monday, June 13, 2016 1:36 PM  
**To:** Jeffries, Zach (City Councillor) <[Zach.Jeffries@Saskatoon.ca](mailto:Zach.Jeffries@Saskatoon.ca)>; Ward 10 - Zach Jeffries <[Ward10@Saskatoon.ca](mailto:Ward10@Saskatoon.ca)>; [donald.atchison@saskatoon.ca](mailto:donald.atchison@saskatoon.ca); Atchison, Don (Mayor's Office) <[Don.Atchison@Saskatoon.ca](mailto:Don.Atchison@Saskatoon.ca)>  
**Subject:** Fwd: Provide Feedback

Hi Zach and Don

Is there any update to my request for the information below.

It is lovely to see my tax paying money being spent again today with the SPD and their cash grabbing initiatives.

Mayor, is this a wise spend of our money? This is not what citizens want to see in an election year.

[REDACTED]

Sent from my iPhone

Begin forwarded message:

**From:** [REDACTED]  
**Date:** May 30, 2016 at 5:03:35 PM CST  
**To:** Zach Jeffries <[Zach.Jeffries@Saskatoon.ca](mailto:Zach.Jeffries@Saskatoon.ca)>, [ward10@saskatoon.ca](mailto:ward10@saskatoon.ca)  
**Cc:** [donald.atchison@saskatoon.ca](mailto:donald.atchison@saskatoon.ca)  
**Subject:** Provide Feedback

Hi Zach

Thank you very much for your ongoing follow up. I have an important request from you and the City of Saskatoon that may require some investigation. I look forward to the feedback from all resources.

As a tax payer in Saskatoon, I do understand that the majority of a tax dollar goes towards policing. I do not have my most recent brochure, but lets say 43 cents or so of each dollar. As a citizen who lives in Evergreen, I would like you to find out how often policing actually occurs within the boundaries of what is known as "Evergreen". I do not want statistics for patrolling on the " east side", but specific statistics for proactive patrolling within the streets of Evergreen. Not....the perimeter. I do not want to know how many complaints they have responded to. I want to know the numbers for simple proactive patrolling. I think these vehicles are equipped with GPS or the police officers mobile phones may have it and hence the statistics should be available to the hard tax paying citizens. I welcome this information if it directly comes from the Saskatoon City Police.

I can tell you that my experience living in Evergreen and actually seeing policing within Evergreen is very limited. And please, I do not want to hear from SPD that we tend to do more policing in our higher crime areas and that may not mean the Evergreen area. Nope, I will not hear of that. I want to know what my 43 cents or so of each tax paying dollar goes to for the area that I reside in.

I am tired of living in an area where the SPD is virtually obsolete with proactive patrolling within the streets of Evergreen. I am tired in waking up Saturday and Sunday mornings with alcohol bottles and cans thrown out in the streets. I am tired of waking up and finding condoms on the sidewalks or streets as people choose to drive out to less populated communities for their sexual rendezvous. I am tired of citizens driving out at night and using the empty lots in my community as their city dump. I am tired of driving/walking in a neighborhood with inconsiderate developers/tradesmen who choose to violate almost every traffic rule and then choose to smoke up on their job sites (still illegal).

What am I most tired of? The SPD with their ongoing cash grab by setting up constant speed traps on Lowe Road and McOrmond Drive. The SPD knows what the perimeter roads of Evergreen look like, but can they actually name 5 streets within Evergreen? I am very, very supportive of speed limit enforcement. BUT, I am only supportive of speed limit enforcement when its intended purpose achieves its goal. The goal of speed limit enforcement in any police jurisdiction is to improve safety, to protect lives, to reduce traffic injuries and deaths. Can you please provide me from the SPD with the actual annual statistics for the traffic injuries/accidents/deaths that have occurred on McOrmond Drive from Nelson Road/Addison Road or Stensrud Road to Evergreen Boulevard? How many traffic injuries/accidents/deaths have occurred on McOrmond Drive in the last year in this area? Two years? Five year average? The same for Lowe Road from the traffic round about on Evergreen Boulevard to Nelson Road?

I can probably safely say that these numbers are very low. So, can the SPD then explain to me as a tax paying citizen their need to have a speed trap in this area 3 times in the past 6 or so days? What safety statistics are they trying to improve? Can they please share them with me/the public?

Truthfully, I see this as nothing more as a cash grab and it sickens me. I want the SPD to prove me wrong as apparently they feel this stretch of road has had numerous violent accidents causing injury and death. They somehow statistically can prove they are improving safety and as a tax payer we deserve to know this. Do you know that some countries actually hold police departments accountable when their speed limit enforcements are nothing, but cash grabs?

And no Zach, I did not get a speeding ticket nor plan on to. I am just sick and tired that the only time I see the SPD is near Evergreen on McOrmond and Lowe Road with speed traps. It is a true shame that I never see a proactive patrol in my neighborhood to make my community safer and to know that a majority of my tax dollar is being properly spent.

I really want feedback on this issue. It has been ongoing since I have moved into this area. I use to see patrol cars in Beuna Vista all the time and they were not out just enforcing speed limits at Beuna Vista school where it mattered. They actually policed my neighborhood.

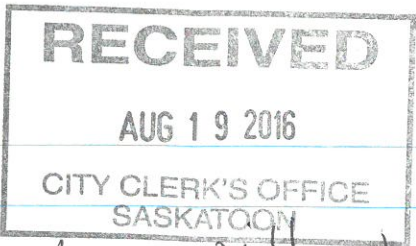
As my city representative, I really hope you recognize this alarming concern. I am so frustrated watching the SPD hide behind bushes, stand on hills and enforce speed where there is very limited need to improve safety. There is a far better job that can be done with policing not only in Evergreen, but other areas where improving safety would actually matter.

I welcome feedback from the SPD and from the City of Saskatoon. I would love to hear back from the Mayor on this as well. We, the tax payers deserve answers from a City who allows this to happen. This is not how tax dollars should be spent. This is not effective policing. I will not support a Mayor or council that allow this to happen.

Regards,



Sent from my iPad



To whom ever

Aug 19 / 2016

I Dion Waniandy will be attending the next Police Commission meeting Sept 15 2016 12 P.M to speak.

my questions will be in regards to racial profiling #16 #14 517 24th Str. East Saskatoon SK

Police Misconduct 52K 0K9

Police Brutality 306.974 4421

Policy vs law

# Regina Board of Police Commissioners

P.O. Box 1790 • Regina, Saskatchewan • S4P 3C8

June 29, 2016

Darlene Brander, Chairperson  
Saskatoon Board of Police Commissioners  
City Hall  
222 - 3<sup>rd</sup> Avenue North  
SASKATOON SK S7K 0J5

Dear Madam:

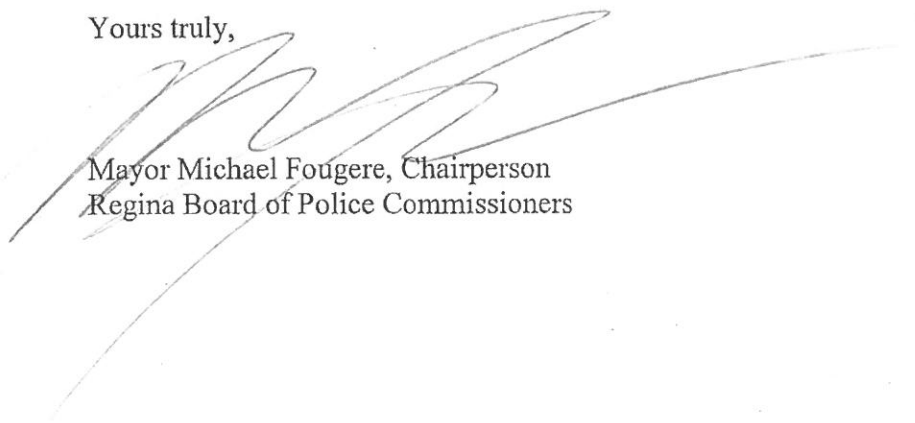
Re: Saskatchewan Police Commission – Conflict of Interest Policy

Thank you for your letter dated May 5, 2015. The Regina Board of Police Commissioners considered your correspondence at its May 25, 2016 meeting. After considerable discussion, and deliberation, at this time the Regina Board of Police Commissioners will not be sending correspondence to support police foundations being added to the Conflict of Interest Policy. It is our collective view that it is an inherent conflict of interest to have foundations attached to police services. We support the view of the Saskatchewan Police Commission, in that regard.

The Regina Board of Police Commissioners is not interested in having a foundation attached to the Regina Police Service. Of major concern is the independence and integrity of police services being compromised by a foundation, and the potential for undue influence by donors. Funding of police services is the statutory obligation of the government, both municipal and provincial. It is our concern that foundations could indirectly result in less money being earmarked for policing. Furthermore, accountability and transparency in funding for police is important. Elected officials, and members of the Board of Police Commissioners, are accountable to the public in a way that a foundation could never be.

While our position is no doubt disappointing, I trust it is understood.

Yours truly,



Mayor Michael Fougere, Chairperson  
Regina Board of Police Commissioners

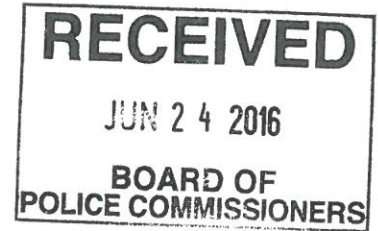


**PRINCE ALBERT BOARD OF POLICE COMMISSIONERS**

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June 21, 2016



Saskatoon Board of Police Commissioners  
222 3<sup>rd</sup> Avenue North  
City Hall  
Saskatoon, SK S7K 0J5

Attention: Darlene Brander  
Chairperson, Saskatoon Board of Police Commissioners

Dear Ms. Brander:

**Re: Conflict of Interest Policy**

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We have received your correspondence dated May 5, 2016, regarding Saskatchewan Police Commission – Conflict of Interest Policy.

Your correspondence was reviewed at the June 20, 2016 Prince Albert Board of Police Commissioners meeting.

Please find attached correspondence that has been forwarded to the Chairperson of the Saskatchewan Police Commissioners regarding the Conflict of Interest Policy.

Please do not hesitate to contact me if you have any questions or concerns.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be "Greg Dionne", with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

Mayor Greg Dionne  
Board Vice-Chairperson  
Prince Albert Board of Police Commissioners

*Attachment*

cc: Chief of Police



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June 21, 2016

Saskatchewan Police Commission  
1850 – 1881 Scarth Street  
Regina, SK S4P 4K9

Attention: Neil Robertson, Chairperson

Dear Sir:

**Re: Conflict of Interest Policy**

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The current draft of the policy is intended to remove conflicts of interest that can occur when an obligation appears to be attached to a funding source. There is no room in policing for favoritism or bias and the policy will help maintain credibility, public support and professionalism. At the request of the Saskatoon Board of Police Commissioners we would like to add our support for the inclusion of foundations as an acceptable funding mechanism for Saskatchewan police.

A foundation places the Service at arms- length from donations and can limit the exposure provided to the donor. If proper guidelines are provided around fundraising, advertising, and governance the foundation should not interfere with the delivery of policing services.

While it is unlikely that our Board will utilize a foundation as a funding methodology we are not opposed to other Boards doing so.

Please do not hesitate to contact me if you have any questions or concerns.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be "Greg Dionne", written over a horizontal line.

Mayor Greg Dionne  
Board Vice-Chairperson  
Prince Albert Board of Police Commissioners



August 30, 2016

Ms. Darlene Brander  
Chairperson, Board of Police Commissioners  
City Clerk's Office  
2<sup>nd</sup> Floor, City Hall

Dear Commissioner Brander:

**Re: Saskatoon Police Service 2015 Annual Report**

Enclosed is the Saskatoon Police Service 2015 Annual Report. This report highlights many of the positive initiatives undertaken by our personnel in 2015 and recognizes some of their achievements and professionalism.

Our Service is dedicated to “ensuring a safe and secure environment” for the citizens of Saskatoon. In 2015 we made significant strides towards that goal.

I take great pride in forwarding this document to you, and hope that you enjoy learning more about the Saskatoon Police Service.

Sincerely,

Clive Weighill  
**Chief of Police**

CW/lp  
enclosure

**“PUBLIC AGENDA”**

**TO:** Darlene Brander, Chairperson  
Board of Police Commissioners

**FROM:** Clive Weighill  
Office of the Chief

**DATE:** 2016 September 01

**SUBJECT:** Appreciation to the Saskatoon Police Service

**FILE NO.:** 12,002

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**ISSUE:**

To keep the Board of Police Commissioners apprised of appreciation/recognition to the Saskatoon Police Service.

**RECOMMENDATION:**

That this report and the attached correspondence be received as information.

**Written and  
Approved by:** Clive Weighill  
Chief of Police

**Submitted by:**   
Clive Weighill  
Chief of Police

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**Dated:**

  
Sept. 7 / 16

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# SOCIAL MEDIA SALUTES



MAY

## Tweets

FASD NETWORK FASD Network Sask  
@SaskFASDNetwork

We would like to thank the @SaskatoonPolice for joining us in 'Mission Possible 2' yesterday. [pic.twitter.com/TBmRAhB94R](http://pic.twitter.com/TBmRAhB94R)



1:57pm · 26 May 2016 · Twitter Web Client

1 RETWEET 2 LIKES



Reply to @SaskFASDNetwork @Sask...



Jeff Noble @JeffNoble 24d  
@SaskFASDNetwork @SaskatoonPolice What a fantastic initiative...Way to go guys!



Pat Tymchatyn @Tymchatyn 19d  
Thanks to @SaskatoonPolice for coming out with their police car to the Meadowgreen Community Fair. Lots of interest from people.



IAFF 80 Saskatoon @IAFF80 20d  
Thanks @SaskatoonPolice @SPSTraffic for helping us out today! Kept us safe during our plaque unveiling event!! @cityofsaskatoon #yxe



Saskatoon Public @StoonPubSchools

Great program at Princess Alexandra School! Congratulations to the students and big thanks to @SaskatoonPolice.

Cst. Derek Chesney @SPSDerekChesney  
Peacemaker cadet grad @SaskatoonPolice  
[pic.twitter.com/onKxja9FPf](http://pic.twitter.com/onKxja9FPf)



6:31pm · 26 May 2016 · Twitter for iPhone

1 RETWEET 7 LIKES





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twitter

FEEDBACK



Mark Zielke @markZward2

Sgt Wade Bourassa doing his part to make #yxe safe! #pilotslife @flymitchinson @SPSAir1 @SaskatoonPolice #greatguy pic.twitter.com/OV5I2RIBYY



1:08pm · 28 May 2016 · Hootsuite

7 RETWEETS 19 LIKES



Claire @Claire\_MP 20d @SaskatoonPolice My dad sends his thanks to the officer at driving training who helped him put a bracket back on his forklift at prairieland

in reply to Saskatoon Police



Ali @aali\_ca 27d @SaskatoonPolice good job proud of you guys!!

in reply to Saskatoon Police



Michelle Schneider @Chelle...27d @SaskatoonPolice You deserve it. Thank you for your service 🍷



Mark Zielke @markZward2

Learning about @SPSAir1 #yxe @SaskatoonPolice Thanks Sgt Bourassa for the hospitality! pic.twitter.com/d5UFPTq48u



1:14pm · 28 May 2016 · Hootsuite

2 RETWEETS 6 LIKES



Rabwah ربه @Rabwah 32d @SaskatoonPolice Thank you for the lovely comments ! much Love from #Ahmadiyya in Pakistan

in reply to Saskatoon Police



Maureen Arthur @omoarthur 32d @SaskatoonPolice Kind of answers the 'Where's a cop when you need one?' question - um, they are working...





MAY

twitter

FEEDBACK



Taylor @328\_Taylor

Had a great day @FlyMitchinson 70th Anniversary with @STARSambulance @SaskatoonPolice and @SPSAir1 🤔 pic.twitter.com/sjy3olaG9R



4:28pm - 28 May 2016 - Twitter for iPhone

4 RETWEETS 16 LIKES



Niki @nikiturk 39d I ❤️ that @SaskatoonPolice made the effort to take care of these #cute and #fuzzy #ducks! #yx # Thanks!!! facebook.com/thestarphoenix...



Zeeshan @zeeshanraj81 32d @SaskatoonPolice thanks to all officers who join us in our 50th year anniversary celebration



Joanne Smallbones @Joann...32d Our patrol officers work so hard, especially through summer! Thank u & stay safe! #underappreciated @SaskatoonPolice twitter.com/SaskatoonPolic...

Saskatoon Police @SaskatoonP... Our officers responded to 285 calls for service from 6 am yesterday to 6 am today. Avg of 11.8 an hour.

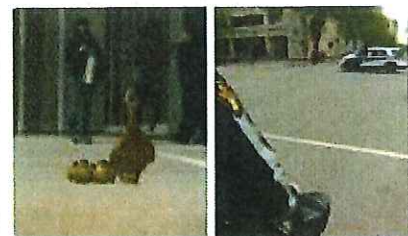


kim @OhSoSinister 39d Saw @SaskatoonPolice walk a duck & her babies thru downtown to the river. Lone casualty: My heart—turned into confetti, exploded everywhere.



Jay Brown @saskhiker 39d Good job @SaskatoonPolice getting these little guys to the water safely. twitter.com/ChrisLaneCBC/s...

Chris Lane @ChrisLaneCBC Newsroom at @CBCSask grinds to a halt as video of ducklings getting a police escort comes in. #yx # @CBCNews pic.twitter.com/fPsh3ypXKj







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twitter

FEEDBACK



**Jerry Berko** @JerryBerko 39d  
@SaskatoonPolice getting a gold star on their report card. #yx

**Jessica DeWitt** @JessicaMDewitt  
My heart: How did the ducklings cross the road? With the help of city police cbc.ca/1.3579780 #yx #ducks #animals



**Ashley Robinson** @ashleymr... 39d  
These are the luckiest ducks in all of #sask good job to @SaskatoonPolice #yx

**TheStarPhoenix.com** @TheStar...  
Watch the video: Saskatoon police stop traffic to help a family of ducks through the downtown to the river thestarphoenix.com/news/local-new... #yx



**David Kirton** @dkckom 39d  
YAY @SaskatoonPolice !!! I know human lives were not saved but does it get any better than this??? youtube.com/watch?v=vMhU5L...



**Jason Aebig** @jasonaebig 39d  
I love my hometown #YXE. Nice job fellas. @SaskatoonPolice

**TheStarPhoenix.com** @TheStar...  
Watch the video: Saskatoon police stop traffic to help a family of ducks through the downtown to the river thestarphoenix.com/news/local-new... #yx



**Bonnie Zink** @BonnieZink 39d  
Saskatoon police are awesome! They stop traffic to escort family of ducklings to the river. ow.ly/mOZq1003oFO #yx @SaskatoonPolice

in reply to Saskatoon Police



**Aaron Genest** @AaronGenest 38d  
@SaskatoonPolice Big shout out to the desk sergeant last night who helped me understand what to do about a neighbour's domestic dist. #yx

in reply to Morgan Modjeski



**Glenn Thomson** @Glennthom... 38d  
@MorganM\_SP @SaskatoonPolice There is nothing a bike officer can't do. Well done.

in reply to CBC Saskatchewan



**Michele Ellingsen** @Creeks2... 38d  
@CBCSask @SaskatoonPolice LOVED this. Exactly what I have done in the past, minus my police uniform. 😊






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twitter

FEEDBACK


 **Claire** @Claire\_MP


@SaskatoonPolice my sister @AlyJP sent me this today. Not sure if he is a hugger, but pass along a pat on the back  
[pic.twitter.com/EeOJ2YyFDr](http://pic.twitter.com/EeOJ2YyFDr)

SaskTel LTE 9:42 PM 63%

← Messages Aly Details

Today 6:54 PM

 cbcask



39 likes  
 cbcask Downtown traffic stood still for a  
 Give this guy a hug for me!!



**Kirk** @KirkInMontreal 38d  
 @SaskatoonPolice  
 #SaskatoonPolice .Family of #DUCKS being safely guided to the water  
 facebook.com/thestarphoenix....



**Blair Wooff** @BlairWooff 38d  
 Thanks for helping those ducks today @SaskatoonPolice



**Blair Alderton** @nitroimage\_1 38d  
 Saw this from my 7th floor office, reminded me of my gr 1 book "Make Way for Duckings" awesome @SaskatoonPolice

**CBC Saskatoon** @CBCSaskatoon  
 VIDEO: Saskatoon police stop traffic to escort family of ducklings to the river  
[cbc.ca/1.3579780](http://cbc.ca/1.3579780) #yxe  
[pic.twitter.com/yTHOMt8Qr](http://pic.twitter.com/yTHOMt8Qr)



**Lori Patrick** @Snafulp 38d  
 @ChrisLaneCBC @SaskatoonPolice @CBCSask @CBCNews Thank you 4 warming my heart today. I needed that. Be safe out there. The ducks certainly R





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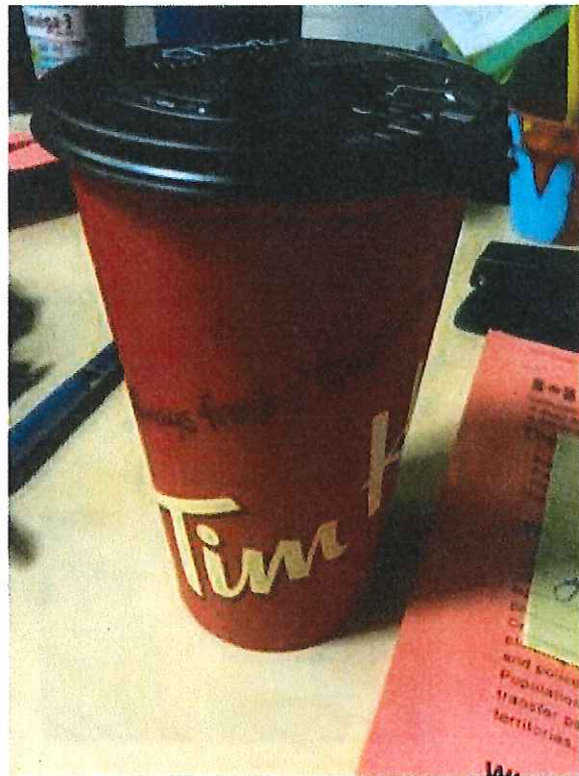
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**Meaghan Craig** @MCraigGlobal

A sincere thanks to the officer @SaskatoonPolice who bought my coffee today, I made sure to pay it forward!!

[pic.twitter.com/yOtgtFWtLO](http://pic.twitter.com/yOtgtFWtLO)



10:56am · 13 May 2016 · Twitter for iPhone

6 RETWEETS 24 LIKES



**Timothy M. Smith** @timsmith... 38d

@SaskatoonPolice stop traffic to escort family of ducklings to the river - They are adorable! (The ducks that is)

[cbc.ca/beta/news/cana...](http://cbc.ca/beta/news/cana...)



**Brennan** @bmrout 38d

@SaskatoonPolice just saw 2 officers downtown agree to watch hotdog cart so the attendant could run to washroom. cool & commendable.



**James Oloo** @JamesAlanCLOO38d

Makes me teary eyed... Duck family gets @SaskatoonPolice escort from downtown #YXE to safety in river

[thestarphoenix.com/news/local-new...](http://thestarphoenix.com/news/local-new...) @MorganM\_SP



in reply to Saskatoon Police



**PisimCole** @PISIMCOLE 37d

@SaskatoonPolice good job guys! keeping us safe every day!



**Taylor** @328\_Taylor 37d

This morning I've seen many officers helping the community, I want to thank them,

@SaskatoonPolice your hard work is much appreciated



**Danielle** @dannichan 37d

@SaskatoonPolice saw an officer stop and walk to get some lemonade kids were selling on idylwyld.. So cute. And so good to see!





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YouTube Newswire  
@ytnewswire

Duck family receives special  
[@SaskatoonPolice](#) escort through  
town [youtube.com/watch?v=vMhU5l...](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=vMhU5l...)  
[pic.twitter.com/F1UDyd4goD](https://pic.twitter.com/F1UDyd4goD)



**Stephan Bourassa** @milesto... 50d  
Feelin' great after  
[@YXEPoliceRun!](#) Thx to  
volunteers & [@SaskatoonPolice](#)  
members for keeping us safe  
today and everyday. #yx



**Paul Wilson** @paulwoodSK 50d  
[@SaskatoonPolice](#) great event  
[#spshalfmarathon](#) thanks to all the  
SPS members and volunteers  
[#jobwelldone](#) looking forward to  
next year



**Terrance 88 Zz** @shortsweetb... 35d  
[@SaskatoonPolice](#) good get that  
crap off the street



**Not Kadri** @NottKadri 34d  
Major props to two  
[@SaskatoonPolice](#) officers for  
escorting a family of ducks.  
Freaken love it.



in reply to [Saskatoon Police](#)  
**Colleen Cote** @CTAPinSK 42d  
[@SaskatoonPolice](#) that's what i  
thought. thanks. (such prompt  
response you guys ROCK)



in reply to [Cst. Derek Chesney](#)  
**Glenn Thomson** @Glennthom. 45d  
[@SPSDerekChesney](#)  
[@SaskatoonPolice](#). Great job on a  
great program.



**Mark Zielke** @markZward2 42d  
Man fishing in the middle of the  
river (centre truss of the  
[#trainbridge](#)). Glad to see  
[@SaskatoonPolice](#) and  
[@SaskatoonFire](#) on scene: #yx



**April Sora** @AprilSora 50d  
[@JulianaPelinsom](#) congratulations  
on completing the course to  
provide such an important service  
for [#yx!](#) [@SPSDerekChesney](#)  
[@SaskatoonPolice](#)





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Dorianne  
@DoriannieG

Thank you @SaskatoonPolice for helping us out today! #McHappyDay @RMHSask  
[pic.twitter.com/RpOCeaWbGT](http://pic.twitter.com/RpOCeaWbGT)



Juliana Pelinsom  
@JulianaPelinsom

What a great training! Thanks to @SaskatoonPolice for the opportunity! #yx #interpreter

Cst. Matt Maloney @SPSMattMaloney @SaskatoonPolice welcomes Class#5 of Interpreters. Proud to have new languages including Cree, Dene & Somalian#yx  
[pic.twitter.com/pwSzS9f0xA](http://pic.twitter.com/pwSzS9f0xA)



Andrea Hill  
@MsAndreaHill

Thanks to the @SaskatoonPolice for hosting a great race this weekend and congrats to all the runners who took part  
[pic.twitter.com/Qqru0sllhC](http://pic.twitter.com/Qqru0sllhC)







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Saskatchewanderer  
@SkWanderer

It's the perfect morning in #Saskatoon for the @SaskatoonPolice Run. I'll be tackling the 10km route. #ExploreYXE  
[pic.twitter.com/GmKNMigFFe](http://pic.twitter.com/GmKNMigFFe)



Matt Young  
@MattYoungCTV

Finished @SaskatoonPolice half marathon today! A time of 1HR-52 mins! Lots of fun! Great way to support police! #yxepic.twitter.com/zhJVZs7LFd





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**Saskatoon Police Service**

Published by Kelsie Fraser [?] · May 3 ·

We would like to wish Sgt. Ingram and PSD Jet a happy retirement! Sgt. Ingram retired at the end of April with over 29 years of dedicated service to the community of Saskatoon.



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Saskatoon Police Service

Published by Crowdbuster [?] · May 4 ·

**Comments..**

The first week of May has again been proclaimed as Missing Persons Week across the province. Missing persons investigations can be long and arduous but they always remain open because, while they may be missing, they are not forgotten.

Andrew Wiebe, 40-years-old, was last seen on January 11, 1988 at his residence in the 10 block of Dominion Crescent. Andrew is described as being 5'7" in height and weighing approximately 200 lbs with a fair complexion and short curly brown hair... [See More](#)



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**Kaytlyn Stevens** it's so heartbreaking that people go missing and eventually their case becomes a historical case and are still never found, no matter how many years it's been! I always wonder, where these people went, what happened to them, did they leave on purpose, are they dead or alive, and what would they look like today if they were still here! thank you SPS for not giving up on these cases, and keep encouraging people to come forward if they have information so families can have a proper burial for their loved ones! Maybe get DNA testing done on unidentified people and maybe some or one of them will match a missing person! That's what I would do if I worked with forensics! Again, thank you for your service, never give up hope!

[Unlike](#) · [Reply](#) · [Message](#) · 1 · May 4 at 2:39pm



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Saskatoon Police Service

Published by News Release [?] · May 5 ·

News Release: Update - Third Arrest Made - Armed Robbery - 800 Block 29th Street West <http://bit.ly/1T3mKxo>



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Randy Buchi Santiagogo, Murray Grismer and 25 others

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Bev Funk Good job!

Unlike · Reply · Message · 1 · May 5 at 9:06am



Debbie McNairn Great job!

Unlike · Reply · Message · 1 · May 5 at 9:13am



Jaime C Svennes awesome, 1 to go!

Unlike · Reply · Message · 1 · May 5 at 10:09am



Saskatoon Police Service

Published by News Release [?] · May 5 ·

News Release: Arrest - Evade Police - Appleyby Crescent and Wardlow Road <http://bit.ly/1Xav91V>



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Car Lobbes, Wilf Martin and 10 others

1 Comment



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Jaime C Svennes awesome

Like · Reply · Message · May 5 at 10:11am



Brenda Stephens This is awesome I think it's a picture perfect photo! Officers work hard, long hours to protect our citizens and community! It's simply disrespectful to criticize them they are human beings! Sorry I have a really hard time with people who are not kind!

Unlike · Reply · Message · 2 · May 19 at 11:35pm





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### Saskatoon Police Service

Published by Kelsie Fraser (?) · May 5 · 🌐

On April 30, 2016, Deputy Chief Bernie Pannell retired from the #SaskatoonPolice with over 40 years of dedicated and committed service to the community and citizens of Saskatoon.

### Comments...

D/C Pannell began his policing career in 1975. It spanned four decades and various units including, Patrol, Communications, Special Investigations, Airport Special Squad, the Drug Detail and the Emergency Response Team. One of the largest undertakings of his career was that of the new SPS HQ, of which he was instrumental in all stages. He could often be heard on tours saying that he's been around long enough to have worked in THREE police stations.

Please join us in thanking D/C Pannell for his long and outstanding career of service; we wish him and his family all the best in his retirement!



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Saskatoon Police Service

Published by Kelsie Fraser [?] · May 8 ·

Comments...

Happy Mothers Day to all the amazing moms out there!



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10,059 people reached

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**Myrna Sanford** Happy Mothers Day to all in the Police Force. Stay safe and thanks for keeping us safe.

Unlike · Reply · Message · 3 · May 8 at 2:50pm



**Brenda Featherstone** Happy Mother's Day to all you Ladies in the Police Force.

Unlike · Reply · Message · 1 · May 8 at 2:55pm



**Lorraine Kay Rybchinski**

Unlike · Reply · Message · 1 · May 8 at 2:58pm



**Tanya L Rintoul** Happy Mother's Day to all the mothers in the police force

Unlike · Reply · Message · 2 · May 8 at 4:05pm



**Colette Warlow** Happy Mothers Day to all of you!

Unlike · Reply · Message · 1 · May 8 at 8:56pm



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Saskatoon Police Service

Published by Commenting for Star Phoenix [?] · May 12

Comments...

Our officers are always happy to assist, and not just our people!



Duck family gets police escort to safety

Saskatoon police helped a feathered family reach safety on Thursday afternoon. Members of the bike patrol unit escorted a mother duck and her ducklings through Saskatoon's bus...

THESTARPHOENIX.COM

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Martha Cooney-Godin Well done guys! Thank you!

Unlike · Reply · Message · 1 · May 14 at 4:36pm



Kathy Jo Wilkinson Barton Beautiful and heartwarming! Police are heroes in so many ways! Thank you all, you are awesome!

Unlike · Reply · Message · 1 · June 17 at 12:56am



Kaitlan Lavoie This is why I love our police.

Have never had a bad experience with them\*even if I've been pulled over\* My kids are always in such awe when they see them, especially if an officer takes time to say hello and ask them how they're doing etc  
Keep it up SPS

Like · Reply · Message · 3 · May 12 at 5:01pm





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**Saskatoon Police Service**

Published by News Release [?] · May 16 · 🌐

News Release: Three Arrested - Cocaine Trafficking - 22nd Street and Avenue C <http://bit.ly/1WATyPw>



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Boost this post for \$19 to reach up to 1,900 people.

7,157 people reached

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**Shayna Klassen** Kyle Peters

Like · Reply · Message · May 16 at 10:33am



**Debbie McNairn** Good job!! 👍👍

Unlike · Reply · Message · 👍 3 · May 16 at 10:33am



**Danielle Boutilier** That's awesome! Keep up the good work!

Unlike · Reply · Message · 👍 2 · May 16 at 10:34am



**Jaime C Svennes** GOOD JOB 👍

Unlike · Reply · Message · 👍 1 · May 16 at 10:34am



**Heather Gray** Way to go - one by one get them off our streets

Like · Reply · Message · 👍 1 · May 16 at 11:09am



**Chris Sippola** Awesome

Unlike · Reply · Message · 👍 1 · May 16 at 11:14am



**Gerry Quintin** WTG SPS. 👍

Unlike · Reply · Message · 👍 1 · May 16 at 11:18am



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Saskatoon Police Service shared YWCA Saskatoon Women of Distinction Awards's photo.

Published by Kelsie Fraser (?) · May 16 ·

Comments...

Sgt. Erica Weber does incredible work in the Saskatoon school systems to ensure that the environments our children are learning in are safe and secure. We're incredibly proud and excited for her to receive this nomination as a YWCA Saskatoon Woman of Distinction!



YWCA Saskatoon Women of Distinction Awards

May 13 ·

Meet the Nominees! Erica Weber

Sergeant Erica Weber works with the Saskatoon Police Service School Resource Unit. She is a tireless advocate for community partn...

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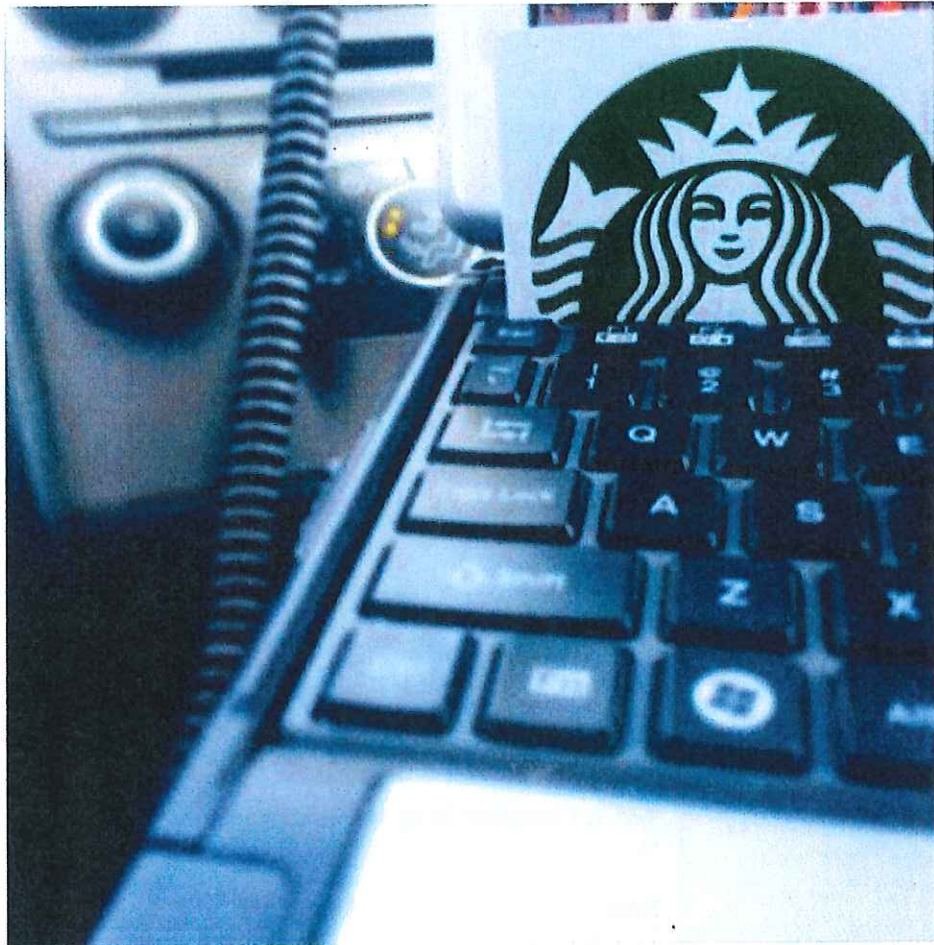


Saskatoon Police Service

Published by Kelsie Fraser (?) May 20 · 🌐

Comments...

Officers that were having coffee at the Starbucks at 8th and Louise this morning were pleasantly surprised when a woman stopped by their table, gave them a gift card and thanked them for their Service. To the kind woman whose name we do not know, thank you for your random act of kindness!



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**Shelley Clayton-Joslin** They deserve it for all the work they do!

Unlike · Reply · Message · 7 · May 20 at 3:12pm



**Sharon Eckmire** That is so nice to hear, thank you for sharing. It is a treat well deserved

Unlike · Reply · Message · 6 · May 20 at 3:14pm



**Cricket Reynoldson** Awesome

Unlike · Reply · Message · 1 · May 20 at 3:28pm



**Largo Butang** I thought police couldn't accept gifts. I tried to gift one a Tim's card once and the guy thanked me but said he couldn't accept it because some jerkwad could say it was a bribe of some sort.

I mean, you guys totally deserve a gift for all the crap many of you have to go through but I understood the guy's concern. It's one of those "if the world were a better place it wouldn't be an issue" types of things.

Like · Reply · Message · 3 · May 20 at 3:39pm



**Saskatoon Police Service** We try not to - many times simple thank you's are all we need - but in this case, the woman set the card down, thanked them and left. It's our understanding it all happened fairly quickly.

Like · Reply · 11 · Commented on by Kelsie Fraser [?] · May 20 at 3:50pm



**Lindsay Seto** Lol a gift-and-run 😊

Unlike · Reply · Message · 19 · May 20 at 4:38pm



**Largo Butang** That's... a really smart way for that to have played out. The drama queens can stay quiet, the officers get thanked and the lady did her good deed. Everyone who should win, does.

I try to always thank soldiers, EMTs, fire fighters and police officers because us civies, while we do have our own share of job difficulties and dangers, really don't get the scope of the crap they go through until we see it for ourselves.

Like · Reply · Message · 9 · May 20 at 4:39pm



Write a reply...



**Grama Sus** From personal experience , a sincere heartfelt thank you for your service to any law enforcement officer , veteran , or other first responder simply makes their day

Unlike · Reply · Message · 4 · May 20 at 3:53pm





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### Comments...



**Lillian M Scherr** Very nice to hear. They put their life on the line every day they go to work. Thank you for the great job you all do.

Unlike · Reply · Message · 4 · May 20 at 7:34pm



**Marv Lewis** I did the same just before Xmas at grainfields on 42nd St... Breakfast for 2.....!!! I had the waitress inform the officers that their bill was covered...!!

Unlike · Reply · Message · 4 · May 20 at 7:51pm · Edited



**Beverly Pederson** Nice lady !!

Unlike · Reply · Message · 1 · May 20 at 9:08pm



**Anthony Phillips** Good to see

Unlike · Reply · Message · 1 · May 21 at 1:20am



**Stephanie L April** I dealt with an officer last week through my job and he was great. I was so impressed with his sincere concern and patience. Thanks sps

Unlike · Reply · Message · 2 · May 21 at 1:58am



**Bradley James** That's awesome 😊

Unlike · Reply · Message · 1 · May 21 at 3:48am



**Patricia Ledoux** That makes a person feel so good. Keep up the great work.... be safe dang full moon makes people crazy.

Unlike · Reply · Message · 1 · May 21 at 10:33pm



**Roberta Lindsay** This is how a random act of kindness is supposed to work. You do something good for someone else and it makes you feel good that you did it and no one needs to know your name. Just plain old kindhearted goodness to fellow man. No bragging about it after on Facebook or waiting for recognition. Great job as always SPS, keeping the community safe.

Unlike · Reply · Message · 2 · May 21 at 10:46pm



**Beto Del Toro** Well deserved!!!

Unlike · Reply · Message · 2 · May 21 at 10:51pm



**Pat-Donna Rogal** Well deserved

Unlike · Reply · Message · 2 · May 21 at 11:28pm



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Saskatoon Police Service

Published by News Release [?] · May 21 ·

News Release: Stolen Licence Plate Leads to Numerous Charges  
<http://bit.ly/1WHyZQI>

5,373 people reached

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Myra Roschuk, Donna Hay and 27 others

3 Comments



**Donna Hay** Well done SPS and the SPS Air Support Unit! Always rough to learn about the garbage the some people do in our fair city, but it's always GREAT to learn about the captures and arrests!!!! 😊

Unlike · Reply · Message · 2 · May 22 at 10:27am



Saskatoon Police Service

Published by News Release [?] · May 24 ·

News Release: Arrests Made - Stolen Vehicles - 22nd Street West/400 block Herold Court <http://bit.ly/1TCpU8y>

3,493 people reached

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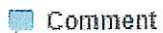


Helen Rozsa, Cor Lobbes and 31 others

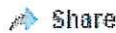
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**Jaime C Svennes** good work again SPS and ASU, good work!!!

Unlike · Reply · Message · 1 · May 24 at 2:35pm



**Randy Buchi Santiagogo** Thank you SPS.

Unlike · Reply · Message · 1 · May 24 at 4:21pm



**Tanya L Rintoul** Thank you for keeping our streets safe

Unlike · Reply · Message · 1 · May 24 at 5:08pm





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Saskatoon Police Service

Published by News Release [?] · May 26 ·

News Release: Arrests - SIDEST Investigation - Drug Trafficking  
<http://bit.ly/1OPBDw2>

4,495 people reached

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Helen Rozsa, Ron Leikam and 38 others

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Danielle Boutilier Good job!

Unlike · Reply · Message · 1 · May 26 at 11:29am



Bonnie Paul well done

Unlike · Reply · Message · 1 · May 26 at 11:56am



Jaime C Svennes awesome job! Living high off the proceeds of crime really pays now doesn't it,

Unlike · Reply · Message · 1 · May 26 at 12:26pm



Paulette Haywood Awesome job....SIDEST...!!! Interested to know...are these people renting at the addresses of the search and seizures??

Like · Reply · Message · 1 · May 26 at 12:37pm · Edited



Fernand R. Pare great job and the honest people of Saskatoon thank you

Like · Reply · Message · May 26 at 6:42pm



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Saskatoon Police Service

Published by Kelsie Fraser [?] May 30 · 🌐

### Comments...

#### ARREST - EVADE POLICE/THEFT - 20TH STREET & AVENUE G S

A 43-year-old Battleford man is facing a number of charges following an incident where a driver refused to stop for police.

At approximately 2:30 a.m., May 30, 2016, a member of the Canine Unit witnessed a male motorist shouting at a female pedestrian at 20th Street and Avenue G South. The officer found that the white GMC half-ton truck was registered to a man who was prohibited from driving, Canada-wide. The vehicle refused to stop and evaded the officer by driving in the wrong direction on 22nd Street at excessive speeds. Just minutes later the officer located the truck, abandoned behind an apartment building on Avenue N South. Police Service Dog Tyr located the suspect hiding nearby. The suspect was taken into custody and treated for minor injuries consistent with dog bites.

Inside the vehicle officers located many grocery and electronic items which had been stolen on May 29th from a department store.

The 43-year-old Battleford man is now facing charges of Dangerous Operation of a Motor Vehicle, Evade Police, Driving While Disqualified and Theft Under \$5000. He is expected to appear in court today.



26,393 people reached

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June 13 2016

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Carter

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Michael

Chief Weighill,

Thank you so much for taking the time to show us your new police station and for taking us behind the scenes of police work in our city. You have inspired us with the work you are doing. Silverspring Grade 8s





Royal Canadian Mounted Police Gendarmerie royale du Canada

Commanding Officer Commandant divisionnaire

6101 Dewdney Ave.  
Bag Service 2500  
Regina, SK S4P 3K7

June 21, 2016

Chief Clive Weighill  
Chief of Police  
Saskatoon Police Service  
Box 1728  
Saskatoon, SK S7K 3R6



Dear Chief Weighill:

I am advised by the Incident Commander that on May 13, 2016 at 0430 hours, RCMP and SPS Critical Incident Command executed a High Risk Search Warrant at a Rural Saskatoon residence (conducted at 0600 hours). In preparation of this, the Team Leaders (SPS Sgt. Ken Kane) met and completed a reconnaissance in the rural area to ensure maximal use of resources. Insp. Vols provided incident command presence during the planning stages and during the execution of the plan. During the execution of the warrant, SPS deployed Snipers, Medics, ERT Assaulters, and provided access to the Armoured Vehicle and Air Services. This demonstrated our teams interoperability to achieve a common goal, which clearly highlighted the value of having exercised together and resolved issues such as common language, communications, and joint use of resources.

As a result of this highly successful search, four subjects were taken into custody without injury or damage to public, police or the subjects. One individual, the primary suspect in this investigation, has been charged with approximately sixteen counts; following the execution of a search warrant which netted approximately \$100,000.00 worth of stolen property, weapons, including a prohibited shotgun and taser.

I wanted to express my appreciation of the Saskatoon Police Services during this event and acknowledge the excellent effort put forth by your members.

Take Care,

*Brenda Butterworth-Carr*  
Brenda Butterworth-Carr,  
Assistant Commissioner  
Commanding Officer "F" Division

*KEN / CARR*  
*THANK YOU FOR PROVIDING*  
*A WELL DEVELOPED ASSISTANCE*  
*TO THE RCMP*  
*[Signature]*

cc: Insp. Gerry Kerr, Employee & Management Relations Officer



Police Chief Clive Weighill:

We wish to express our thanks and appreciation for the service your officers provided to our family when our sister [redacted] went missing from her care home on May 31, 2016.

The professionalism and empathy displayed by Constable Smith and Constable Stone was very reassuring to us at a troubling time. Thankfully, after an extensive search she was located safe and sound.

It is very reassuring that officers of this calibre are part of your force.

Sincerely,

[redacted]  
Doug and Heather

Cst. Aaron Smith, East "A" Platoon  
Cst. Earl Stone, Central "A" Platoon

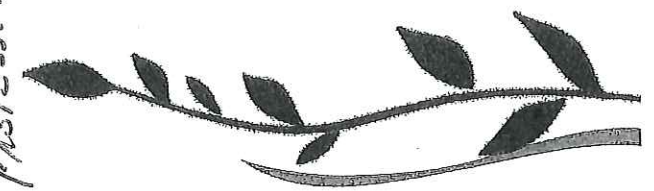
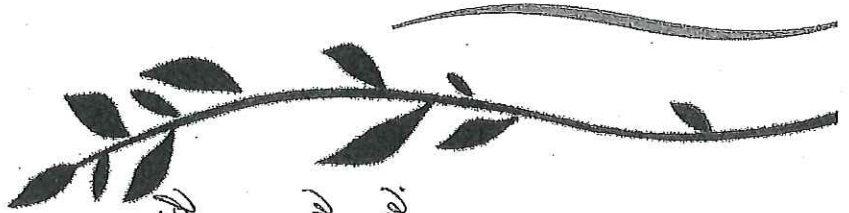
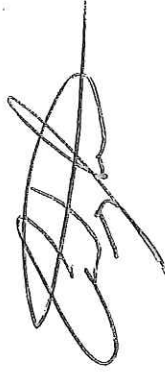
...so much.

AARON / EARL

THANK YOU FOR ASSISTING

THE DOCK FAMILY.

CARINA ATTITUDE AND PROFESSIONALISM IS APPRECIATED



-----Original Message-----

From: Ron [REDACTED]  
Sent: Thursday, June 30, 2016 7:51 PM  
To: Police Info (Police)  
Subject: New app.

Just downloaded the new SPS App onto my iPhone. After taking a tour of the app, I must say that I am very, very impressed. I feel as though I have SPS right in my hip pocket. I have always admired our police service in Saskatoon. I do understand that perfection is not easy to come by. However, I must commend everyone on the police force for a job very well done. And as everyone knows, your staff is only as good as your leader. With that being said, our Chief of Police is one hell of a leader. Keep up the great work SPS. But most importantly women and men in blue, please be safe out there.

Sincerely,

[REDACTED]  
Saskatoon, ask.

**From:** Philip [REDACTED]  
**Sent:** Sunday, July 03, 2016 2:31 PM  
**To:** Police Info (Police)  
**Subject:** SPS App bug

I like the new app, it is a great tool for people interested in their community. I did find one small bug in the crime reporting area. In some cases, it is impossible to guess what neighbourhood the incident took place in. For example, "1 Block St E" or "1 Block St W & Ave D S". (Perhaps some confusion on entering blocks in the alphabet streets?) Otherwise, you've got a great app here. It beat the news for me already in at least one case.

Cheers,  
Phil [REDACTED]



-----Original Message-----

From: [REDACTED]  
Sent: Thursday, June 30, 2016 3:01 PM  
To: Police Info (Police)  
Subject: New zap

Looks good. Can only improve thru use and time.  
Thanks for the access to more information.

Glenn [REDACTED]

-----Original Message-----

From: Brad [REDACTED]

Sent: Thursday, June 30, 2016 11:03 AM

To: Police Info (Police)

Subject: Thanks!!!

Dear police,

As a teacher in Saskatoon I would like to thank you all for looking after our students this summer! Wishing you a quiet and restful summer!!!

☐

Brad [REDACTED]

Sent from my iPhone



# SOCIAL MEDIA SALUTES



## JUNE

### Tweets

 **Ashleigh Hill** @sma\_ash

This happened at my parents place! Thank you @SaskatoonPolice for responding so quickly!

CTV Saskatoon @ctvsaskatoon  
A police plane spotted a suspect a few houses away from a break and enter on Poplar Crescent [saskatoon.ctvnews.ca/saskatoon-man-...](http://saskatoon.ctvnews.ca/saskatoon-man-...) [pic.twitter.com/2UEYtd1pbX](http://pic.twitter.com/2UEYtd1pbX)



12:45pm · 30 Jun 2016 · Twitter for iPhone

5 RETWEETS 7 LIKES

 **Wendy** @wendyb515 9d


@SaskatoonPolice Thank you for protecting our communities. Please stay safe.

❤️

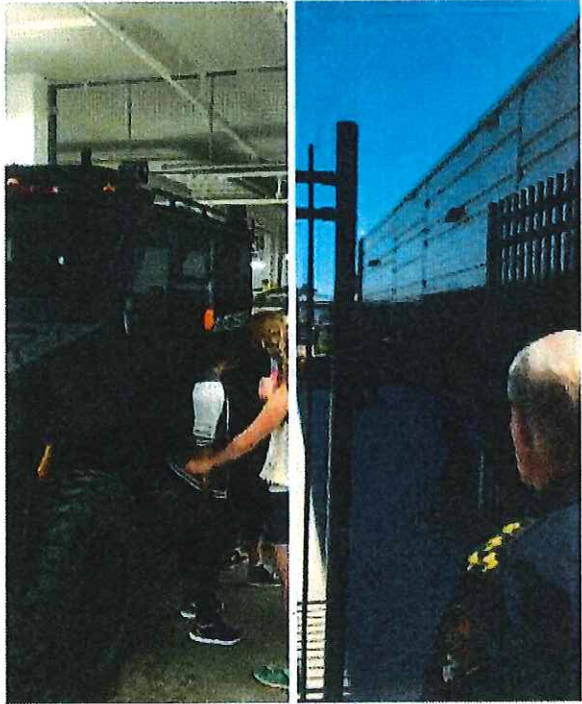
↳ in reply to Saskatoon Police

 **Shannon Richards** @infinitez... 9d

@SaskatoonPolice this is so great! Happy to see this initiative and I am hopeful to have my sweet ride returned.

 **Mathew Fiedelleck** @fiedell

Unreal tour of the new #yxe @SaskatoonPolice Station. Big thanks to Chief Weighill for his time! @StoonPubSchools [pic.twitter.com/VEam7JAVPs](http://pic.twitter.com/VEam7JAVPs)



10:18am · 14 Jun 2016 · Twitter for iPhone

3 LIKES





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**Brigitte Buehler** @BrigitteBue... 30d  
@SaskatoonPolice  
@BrigitteBuehler - I know. You do a fantastic job of providing safety and security. Thx for the dialog



**Stephan Bourassa** @milesto... 27d  
@SPSAir1 is your #GarthInSaskatoon secret traffic weapon. Nice work up there.  
@SaskatoonPolice



**Michael Scissons** @mrscizz 27d  
Tremendously impressed with @SaskTelCtr staff & @SaskatoonPolice members helping make it a VERY fast and safe exit from the concert tonight



**CUPE Local 859** @CUPELoca... 27d  
Outstanding work last night @SaskatoonPolice @ATULocal615 @SaskTelCtr our own members, and everyone else involved in moving people in & out.



**Jenny Plotzki** @jennyplotzki 27d  
Great to see @SaskatoonFire and @SaskatoonPolice at today's #yxepride parade!



**Maeghan Carstairs** @msmaeg26d  
Great #GarthInSaskatoon concert! Wow! Thanks @cityofsaskatoon @SaskTelCtr @SaskatoonPolice for getting us easily in and out!



**Chelsea Wahl** @chelseayoung... 26d  
@SaskTelCtr @SaskatoonPolice took 71st and got from Sandmann to lot F to park in less than 20 mins. Great organization.



**Jason Bekattla** @Bekattla

@SaskTelCtr crew was awesome for 10:30 & @SaskatoonPolice did an amazing job with traffic moving. #GarthInSaskatoon  
[pic.twitter.com/Ekx0Fy9w82](http://pic.twitter.com/Ekx0Fy9w82)



**Amber Christmann** @Amber... 25d  
@SaskatoonPolice high five for the awesome job directing traffic to the Garth concert #job welcome



**christie** @christie\_bean 25d  
Huge THANKS to everyone involved in @garthbrooks shows this wknd. You guys did awesome!! Unbelievable time! @SaskTelCtr @SaskatoonPolice



**Melissa Fiacco** @MelissaBrie 25d  
Thank you @SaskTelCtr @cityofsaskatoon @SaskatoonPolice & @stoontransit for skillfully executing #GarthInSaskatoon! Nailed it all around!





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**Saskatoon Public** @StoonPu... 25d  
Thank you @SaskatoonPolice for your commitment to students at Princess Alexandra and all of our schools #spslearn  
[twitter.com/saskatoonpolice...](https://twitter.com/saskatoonpolice)

**Saskatoon Police** @SaskatoonP...  
SPS Peacekeeper Cadet Program  
[ift.tt/22SjkOM](http://ift.tt/22SjkOM)



**Troy Flad Racing** @troyflad\_r... 25d  
Hanging out tonight with Chris, a past barn crew member.  
@SaskatoonPolice  
@WPCACHucks  
[pic.twitter.com/AtYmULROWS](http://pic.twitter.com/AtYmULROWS)



**Terrance 88 Zz** @shortsweetb... 36d  
@SaskatoonPolice right on you guys keep up the good work and get that crap off the streets of our city.



**mammazzini** @mammazzini 37d  
My girls saw the @SaskatoonPolice by their school, they asked if those Superheroes will be at their school today.



**PiinkSparkles** @piinksparkles 31d  
Thank you all for helping my friend find her brother today on Insta with all your tips!!! You helped find a missing person!  
@SaskatoonPolice

in reply to Saskatoon Police



**Alana Byers** @hillbyers 31d  
@SaskatoonPolice THANK-YOU for all you do to keep our community safe. LOVE reading apprehensions made by canine units and air. Great work!!

in reply to SPS Air Support Unit



**Joyce Hansen** @Sasky21 31d  
@SPSAir1 @SaskatoonPolice Good job @SPSAir1



**SaskBusinessCollege** @sbc... 30d  
Thanks to the @SaskatoonPolice service for speaking to our #ITstudents yesterday on #Security in the work place, very interesting talk.



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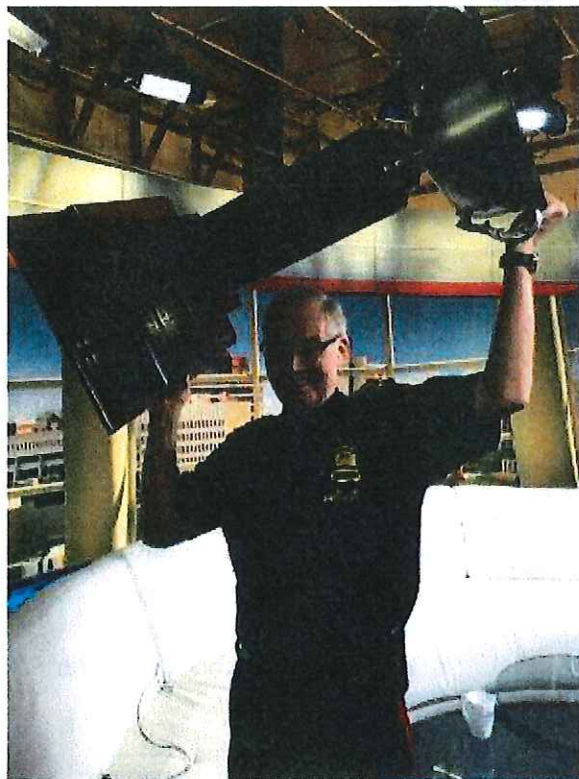
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Saskatchewan Rush  
@SaskRushLAX

Everybody is getting in on cup fever! @SaskatoonPolice  
[pic.twitter.com/Asl41dxYI0](http://pic.twitter.com/Asl41dxYI0)



10:56am · 6 Jun 2016 · Twitter for iPhone

18 RETWEETS 47 LIKES



John Scrivens  
@JohnScrivens

Thx @SaskatoonPolice on recovering this 11 yo's stolen bike-assist to Bruce's Cycle Works. Appreciate the fine work!  
[pic.twitter.com/36DFmLpqBI](http://pic.twitter.com/36DFmLpqBI)







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Saskatoon Police Service

Published by News Release [?] · June 2 ·

News Release: Arrests Made - Search Warrant Executed By the Break and Enter Unit <http://bit.ly/1t4MKNI>

5,609 people reached

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Cam Lipinski Great job SPS!!!

Unlike · Reply · Message · 2 · June 2 at 4:21pm



Angel Erasmus Awesome, great job -)

Like · Reply · Message · June 4 at 11:34am



Saskatoon Police Service

Published by News Release [?] · June 30 at 8:52am ·

News Release: ASU/Patrol Arrest - Break and Enter in Progress - 300 block Poplar Crescent <http://bit.ly/292RRDp>

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Jaime C Svennes, Boyd Sanderson and 55 others

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Lyle Lukan THANKS FOR EYE IN THE SKY

Like · Reply · Message · 4 · June 30 at 9:00am



Christopher Tolkien Good job.

Like · Reply · Message · June 30 at 9:29am



Randy Buchi Santiagogo Great Job Again SPS.

Like · Reply · Message · June 30 at 10:09am



Susan Gregorash Nice work!

Like · Reply · Message · June 30 at 10:40am



Ken Kun Yep good job... Dont mess with Saskatoon Finest....

Like · Reply · Message · June 30 at 5:09pm



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Saskatoon Police Service

Published by Kelsie Fraser (7) · June 3 ·

Comments...

We often congratulate our members on their graduation from Police College, but this week, one such member celebrated graduation of a different kind.

Recently promoted Staff Sergeant Nolan Berg convocated on Tuesday with a hard-earned Master's degree. For the past 3 years, S/Sgt Berg has been working towards his Master of Public Administration (MPA) from the Johnson-Shoyama Graduate School of Public Policy at the University of Saskatchewan. S/Sgt Berg enrolled in the MPA program for its relativity to policing and the public sector. The timing of his graduation coincides with a recent promotion to a position that oversees Communications and Detention, both areas with exhaustive policy and procedure that is expected to be followed. The abilities gained through this program – critical analysis, executive leadership, effective and strategic communications, and policy development, to name a few – will serve S/Sgt Berg, the SPS and, ultimately the community, well in the future. Congratulations on your tremendous achievement, S/Sgt Berg!



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Saskatoon Police Service

Published by News Release [?] · June 6 ·

News Release: Update - Homicide Investigation - 400 Block Galloway Road <http://bit.ly/1PeUXTL>

14,515 people reached

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Tricia Dent Good job!

Unlike · Reply · Message · 1 · June 6 at 2:49pm



Debbie Neudorf Great job SPS!

Unlike · Reply · Message · 2 · June 6 at 2:51pm



KD Dash Great collaborative effort! | | | | |

Unlike · Reply · Message · 2 · June 6 at 2:58pm



Jaime C Svennes Awesome news! You can run but you can't hide 😊

Unlike · Reply · Message · 1 · June 6 at 2:59pm



Debbie McNairn You can run but you can't hide!!! Good job SPS and RCMP RIP to the poor lady

Unlike · Reply · Message · 2 · June 6 at 3:00pm



Amanda Mowat Teresa Wasylciw Cooke

Like · Reply · Message · June 6 at 3:02pm



Renee Hamilton Douglas Great job! Thank you!

Unlike · Reply · Message · 1 · June 6 at 3:07pm



Jen Pritchard Ashley Leigh Gaudet

Like · Reply · Message · June 6 at 3:09pm



Brittney Ray Wendy Bissonnette

Like · Reply · Message · June 6 at 3:12pm



Kim Kriitmaa Great work city police & RCMP. Now lets hope if these 2 are charged, the courts do the right thing & sentence appropriately, so all your hard work isnt for nothing.

Unlike · Reply · Message · 10 · June 6 at 3:12pm



Steve Gilroy Glad you got them

Unlike · Reply · Message · 1 · June 6 at 3:25pm



Sheila Blum awesome job to all of use that took part in getting them off the street

Unlike · Reply · Message · 1 · June 6 at 4:33pm



Paulette Haywood Awesome...great job...!!! Love it when everyone works together for good!!

Unlike · Reply · Message · 1 · June 6 at 4:46pm





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Saskatoon Police Service

Published by News Release [?] · June 6 ·

News Release: Suspicious male apprehended <http://bit.ly/1PfpvVs>



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Mac Wenzel and 67 others

14 Comments 13 Shares



Laura Carlson Thank you Saskatoon police for your quick response to the call! You are heros 😊

Like · Reply · Message · 1 · June 7 at 9:53am



Carman Erhardt Well done Saskatoon Police and K-9 unit

Like · Reply · Message · 1 · June 7 at 11:02am



Saskatoon Police Service

Published by News Release [?] · June 7 ·

News Release: Three Arrested - Possession/Trafficking Fentanyl - 700 Block Padget Crescent <http://bit.ly/1svffD>



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Linda Kennedy, Noreen Wapass and 50 others

4 Comments



Jaime C Svennes lots happens in Willowgrove and Stonebridge lately, glad more drugs are off the streets, good job SPS & SIDEST, lol, are these the same thing? 😊

Like · Reply · Message · 2 · June 7 at 1:38pm

↳ 2 Replies



Debbie Boyer Good Job..!!

Unlike · Reply · Message · 1 · June 7 at 4:56pm



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**Saskatoon Police Service**

Published by News Release [?] · June 9 at 11:38am ·

News Release: Arrests - Robbery - 3300 block of 8th Street East  
<http://bit.ly/1PLIA7f>

**Comments...**



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Vicky Elliott, Cor Lobbes and 13 others

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**Jaime C Svenes** right on, good job again SPSI 😊

Unlike · Reply · Message · 2 · June 9 at 11:38am



**Rheanne Haines** Good work SPSI!

Unlike · Reply · Message · 2 · June 9 at 11:41am



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Saskatoon Police Service shared Saskatoon StarPhoenix's post

Published by Kelsie Fraser [?] · June 11 at 1:34pm ·

Thanks to everyone so far for their patience and understanding. One more night of back-to-back shows and then Sunday's finale.

#GarthinSaskatoon

Comments...



Saskatoon StarPhoenix

June 10 at 9:25pm ·

An all-hands-on-deck operation combined the efforts of event staff, city workers, and the Saskatoon Police Service to accommodate the estimated 20,000 automobiles on the move between shows. #yxe #news #GarthinSaskatoon



Traffic flows smoothly around Garth Brooks concert venue, say attendees

Under circumstances where a stuck thermostat or a fender-bender could've bunged flow and ground the entire procession to a halt, those directing traffic...

THESTARPHOENIX.COM



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Carla Nutter Traffic was great! In and out in minutes...thank you!

Unlike Reply Message 3 June 11 at 1:42pm



Crystal Dawn Thank you so much for all you did to ensure traffic ran smoothly.

Unlike Reply Message 1 June 11 at 1:52pm





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**Leah Baker** It was fabulous!! Thanks for all the work to make things go so well! 😊

[Unlike](#) · [Reply](#) · [Message](#) · 1 · June 11 at 2:18pm



**Horace Ratt** Thank You SPS!

[Unlike](#) · [Reply](#) · [Message](#) · 1 · June 11 at 2:25pm



**Sheila Morgan** Kudos to the city police and SaskTel Center staff!

[Unlike](#) · [Reply](#) · [Message](#) · 1 · June 11 at 3:19pm



**Kim Rintoul** I am legitimately shocked at how easy it was to get in. 30 minutes from my house to our parking spot. I was expecting to be in traffic for at least an hour. Kudos to all involved, you are doing an amazing job!!!

[Unlike](#) · [Reply](#) · [Message](#) · 1 · June 11 at 6:28pm



**Nicky Gutek** Last night we went early for the 1030 show got there at about 830. Traffic was good. And took us maybe 15 to get out! Great job guys!

[Unlike](#) · [Reply](#) · [Message](#) · 2 · June 11 at 7:20pm



**Erin Webe** Went to the Saturday night early show and was so impressed with how smooth traffic was. We were out of the parking lot in under 10 minutes. A huge thank you to SPS and Sasktel Centre staff for doing such an amazing job and keeping things running so smoothly!

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Saskatoon Police Service

Published by Kelsie Fraser [?] · June 12 at 10:11pm

Comments...

Over the last week and a half, along with the rest of Saskatoon, we celebrated diversity and inclusion in our community. To hear of the unspeakable horror that took place in Orlando last night is heartbreaking. Our thoughts and prayers go out to everyone affected by this tragedy. #loveislove



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**Phil Shorkey** Thank you Saskatoon Police. We all stand unified we can beat hatred.

Unlike Reply Message 2 · June 13 at 3:59am

**Angelina Ewen** It was wonderful to see you at the pink nightclub. Sad to realize as we danced in freedom with your protection others died at the same time

Unlike Reply Message 7 · June 13 at 10:35am

**Michelle Katherine** Please keep working to protect everyone, SPS. Protect our Muslim brothers and sisters - especially during this Ramadan - who are facing censure and blame for a crime they absolutely do not condone, protect the LGBTQ+ community and our allies, and help us overcome, and may you have the strength and resilience to do so.

Unlike Reply Message 52 · June 12 at 10:42pm





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Saskatoon Police Service

Published by Kelsie Fraser [?] June 13 at 3:44pm · 🌐

Our officers had a blast at the #YXEPrideParade on Saturday. It was awesome to see so many people come out to show their support and have a good time! 🍷🍷🍷🍷🍷 #loveislove



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**Lindsay Hanson** Thanks for visiting with us at [Saskatoon Pride Festival Hillcrest Funeral Home & Cemetery](#) was proud to participate again this year in the festivities!!!!

Unlike · Reply · Message · 1 · June 13 at 10:23pm



**Wally Markewich** Saskatoon police rock

Unlike · Reply · Message · 3 · June 13 at 10:24pm



**Kathie Kleiveland** Awesome picture 😊

Unlike · Reply · Message · 2 · June 13 at 11:08pm



**Tanya Wiggins** Looking good ladies!

Unlike · Reply · Message · 2 · June 13 at 11:37pm



**Todd Cocks** Thank you for maintaining a good relationship with the LGBT community. It means a lot to many people.

Unlike · Reply · Message · 3 · June 14 at 9:41am





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### Saskatoon Police Service

Published by Kelsie Fraser (?) · June 19 at 11:00am · 🌐

Some people call them Police Officers, but their most important title is "Dad".

Happy Father's day to all the wonderful dad's out there. Enjoy your special day!

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**Yvonne Marie Daniels** Happy Fathers Day to all the wonderful men in the SPS

👍 4 · June 19 at 11:03am

**Siobhan O'Connor Barteski** Happy fathers day Schwartz!

👍 1 · June 19 at 11:06am

**Loretta Johnson** Happy Father's day 😊

👍 2 · June 19 at 11:15am

**Cara Lewis** Stay safe dads!

👍 4 · June 19 at 11:18am

**Brenda Voss** happy father's day to all the fireman that put there life on hold everyday to do there job's.have a awesome day guys.

👍 1 · June 19 at 11:25am



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**Frank Joseph TJ Castle** tough outside but definitely soft inside. happy Father's Day SPS dads. Looking good there Chesney

Unlike · Reply · Message · 1 · June 19 at 11:28am



**Sue Wright** Happy Fathers Day!

Unlike · Reply · Message · 1 · June 19 at 11:30am



**Myrna Sanford** Happy Fathers Day to you all who keep us safe.

Unlike · Reply · Message · 1 · June 19 at 11:30am



**Jay-Dee Aye** Happy fathers day guys! Special shout out to Keith and Ches!

Unlike · Reply · Message · 1 · June 19 at 11:35am



**Tiana Mckay** Happy father day chesney and other sps

Unlike · Reply · Message · 1 · June 19 at 11:50am



**Chereen Delage** Happy Father's Day to the SPS! Stay safe and we really appreciate what you do for us...each and everyday!..❤️..Thank you!

Unlike · Reply · Message · 1 · June 19 at 12:13pm



**Daphne Tkachuk** Thanks for doing the work you do - God keep you all save

Unlike · Reply · Message · 1 · June 19 at 1:29pm



**Tara Shantel Klink** Take some time to give your little (or big) ones a hug today! Thanks for all you do!

Unlike · Reply · Message · 1 · June 19 at 2:00pm



**Pat-Donna Rogal** Happy Father's Day especially all dads away from families today because they are working. A special greeting to those who in their work show those who don't know love the gift of compassion and care

Unlike · Reply · Message · 2 · June 19 at 3:19pm · Edited



**Elisabeth Miller** Nice tie Ajay.....still miss ya at the meetings!!!

Unlike · Reply · Message · 1 · June 20 at 5:00pm





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Saskatoon Police Service shared CTV Saskatoon's post.

Published by Kelsie Fraser [?] · June 20 at 2:16pm · 🌐

We're happy we were able to return this ring of sentimental value to its rightful owner!

### Comments...



CTV Saskatoon

June 16 at 6:34pm · 🌐

"It's been a bit of a roller coaster."



### Stolen engagement ring returned to Saskatoon woman

A Saskatoon woman whose engagement ring was stolen in a break-in last week says she's relieved to have the ring back on her hand.

[SASKATOON.CTVNEWS.CA](http://SASKATOON.CTVNEWS.CA)



**Dennis Heins** I would thanks to the Saskatoon Police Service for doing such a fine job.

Unlike · Reply · Message · 👍 2 · June 20 at 11:39pm

29,348 people reached

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10 Comments 🌐

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**Judy Curtis** So happy for you to have received your sentimental ring returned to you, as well as your watch collection.

Unlike · Reply · Message · 👍 1 · June 20 at 2:59pm



**Debbie McNairn** Awesome great job SPS!! and so happy she got it back!! 🍀👍

👍👍👍 Unlike · Reply · Message · 👍 1 · June 20 at 3:07pm



**Brenda Bond** I'm soooo!! Happy for you !!!!!

Unlike · Reply · Message · 👍 1 · June 20 at 3:09pm



**Rachel Homeniuk** So cool!!

Unlike · Reply · Message · 👍 1 · June 20 at 4:29pm





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**Saskatoon Police Service**

Published by Kelsie Fraser [?] · June 21 at 1:44pm · 🌐

The Saskatoon Police Pipes & Drums Annual Summer Concert is a 'go' for tomorrow evening. Don't miss your chance to see this awesome group of performers!

7:30 PM | JUNE 22  
RIVER LANDING

**SASKATOON POLICE  
PIPES & DRUMS**

Annual Summer Concert

SPECIAL GUESTS:  
GLENLILY HIGHLAND DANCERS



**Sandi Rybchinski-Walls** what a beautiful evening!! and even better with the pipes and drums.. my husband and I celebrated 25 years of marriage today, and this was the most lovely way to celebrate <3TY so very much!! looking forward to many more shows

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Saskatoon Police Service

Published by Kelsie Fraser | June 22 at 3:12pm

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Today we were the recipients of another wonderful act of kindness. Dr. Angela Lindberg would have celebrated her 37th birthday today. To honour her memory, friends and family completed random acts of kindness around the community. Avery, pictured in the police car in our lobby, decided that he wanted us to be the recipients of his act of kindness, so along with his mom, he brightened our morning by bringing us cupcakes and a handwritten card:

"For everyone at the SPS, We wanted to bring you some treats as a thank you for keeping us safe. You risk your lives every day and we are thankful for that. In honour of Angela Lindberg. She touched the hearts of everyone who knew her."

We consider ourselves very fortunate to work in a community that cares about us as much as we do about them.



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**Sheila Carter** I come from a long line of RCMP Officers and I am forever greatful and proud of all they have done for me and others [ ]

Unlike · Reply · Message · 1 · June 22 at 3:59pm



**Wilf Martin** This is wonderful. The kids will love this car. I remember Oscar days many years ago. The kids love SPS. Thanks for protecting us

Unlike · Reply · Message · 1 · June 22 at 4:02pm



**Wilf Martin** Yes thanks to all officers out and include our CO's. Be safe you guys and gals We love you all [ ] [ ] [ ] [ ] [ ]

Unlike · Reply · Message · 3 · June 22 at 4:05pm



**Ellie Boyenko** Thank you for posting this in memory of our sweet Angela.

Unlike · Reply · Message · 5 · June 22 at 4:21pm



**Saskatoon Police Service** She sounds like she was a very special lady. We're sorry for your loss.

Like · Reply · 1 · Commented on by Kelsie Fraser [?] · June 22 at 4:25pm



**Donna Hay** What a beautiful idea. Such a sweet family and they no doubt raised a tremendously sweet daughter.

Unlike · Reply · Message · 2 · June 22 at 4:33pm



**Sarah Pannell** What a beautiful tribute! **Lauren Fuller** check this out!

Unlike · Reply · Message · 2 · June 22 at 5:02pm



**Colleen Isley** SPS is so deserving! Her friends came to Sherbrooke Community Center today as well, handing out flowers to residents and staff and brightened many people's day!

Unlike · Reply · Message · 6 · June 22 at 7:50pm





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Saskatoon Police Service

Published by News Release [?] · June 27 at 4:10pm · 🌐

News Release: Tactical Support Unit - Patrol Response to Incidents - Media Invitation <http://bit.ly/28WI1Tt>



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Brenda Bell, Trevor Waters and 30 others

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**Ron Sikorski** I say give the [Saskatoon Police Service](#) all the tools they need! The ARV, Plane and K9 units are all a huge success! Keep training and stay safe.

Unlike · Reply · Message · 👍 7 · June 27 at 4:16pm



**Karen Jones MacLean** Wow. Good work! Thank you for all you do.

Unlike · Reply · Message · 👍 2 · June 27 at 4:24pm



**Kathleen Ramsay Olson** Thank you SPS for your hard and dangerous work! You ARE appreciated 😊

Unlike · Reply · Message · 👍 3 · June 27 at 4:27pm



**Linda Burton** Glad I don't live in Saskatoon. But great work SPS.

Unlike · Reply · Message · 👍 1 · June 27 at 5:12pm



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Saskatoon Police Service

Published by News Release [?] · June 29 at 8:23am ·

News Release: Arrests - SIDEST Investigations <http://bit.ly/298YYjf>



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Steve Gilroy Nice job

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Dale H Eaven Awesomeness! Great Job SPS

Unlike · Reply · Message · 1 · June 29 at 9:15am



Laura Rabbitskin Naistus Good job!!

Unlike · Reply · Message · 1 · June 29 at 9:43am



Florence Bergen Great job SPS...

Unlike · Reply · Message · 1 · June 29 at 9:45am



Anna Story Thank you.

Unlike · Reply · Message · 1 · June 29 at 10:05am



Rosee Kosmyuka Thank you for doing such an awesome job.

Unlike · Reply · Message · 1 · June 29 at 10:23am



Fernand R. Pare good job.....keep up the good work

Unlike · Reply · Message · 1 · June 29 at 10:45am



Debbie Boyer Awesome work..!!

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Ron Peterson More innocent lives saved !! Way to go SPS !!

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Elizabeth Heisler Great news, Thank you for this update.

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Sgt. Ken Kane #404  
Weekend Support Team 1  
Cst. Ryan Beerling #505  
Air Support Unit Team 1

# ONTARIO TACTICAL ADVISORY BODY

May 30, 2016

Chief Clive Weighill,

I would like to start off by thanking you for allowing your members Ken Kane and Ryan Beerling to attend our Canadian Tactical Conference and share their experience relating to their hostage rescue.

I am currently a director with the Ontario Tactical Advisory Body (OTAB), and a Sergeant with the York Regional Police Service, Emergency Response Unit / Explosive Disposal Unit. We are a full time hostage rescue team, with 25 members.

I was extremely impressed with the presentation Constable Beerling and Sergeant Kane delivered to our attendees. Both officers presented in tandem to approximately 150 police officials, ranking from Constables to Chiefs of police. Their professional and approachable demeanor is certainly a reflection of your police service, and the dedication your members exhibit to the public. After speaking to Constable Beerling, it was for obvious reasons he was awarded Negotiator of the year by the NTOA.

I was very impressed with the tactical debrief, both officers were humble and encouraged feedback as to the response to this emergency call. It was the opinion of several professional team leaders that this showed a commitment to team development to the level of mastery. As a qualified instructor in relation to all levels of tactics, and a 12 year member of a full time tactical team, I am comfortable stating your officers responded with a great deal of professionalism and courage. From their initial radio transmissions, to the entire tactical intervention, the call appeared to have been handled perfectly. I applaud your members for their outstanding display of professionalism, restraint and commitment to public safety. ]

Their actions have left our tactical community proud to be associated with the Saskatoon Tactical Support Unit.

Yours truly

Aaron Busby

Ken / Ryan

VERY FITTING TRIBUTE TO  
YOUR APPROACH TO THIS TOPIC.  
DEFINITELY VALUE ADDED TO  
OUR SERVICE!  
C. Beerling

Sgt. Mike Powiada #233  
Central Division  
Bike Unit, A/B

Original Message  
From: Brent Penner  
Sent: Friday, July 15, 2016 4:52 PM  
To: Weighill, Clive (Police); Huisman, Randy (Police)  
Subject: Thank You

Hi Clive & Randy,

During the 2nd Ave Sidewalk Sale last weekend, police presence was very noticeable and I had comments from many retailers about the great visibility. I'm not sure if it was intentional or not but having the beat blitz on the Friday was great. If it helps in your planning for 2017, the dates for the Sidewalk Sale are likely to be July 6-8. A beat blitz in that time would be great!

I also wanted to single out the presence and dialog we had with Sgt. Mike Powiada during the event. Mike goes out of his way to ensure that his presence is noted - he interacts both with business owners and people at the sale and his attitude and experience is perfectly suited for a Bike Patrol Sergeant.

Lastly, it's great to have that MOU signed off - the CSP staff are quite happy with the new and improved radios and radio protocol. I believe their safety is enhanced, and hopefully it adds to the ease with which SPS Comms is able to dispatch them.

Take care to you both - Randy, enjoy your holidays starting next week.

Brent

MIKE  
You WERE SINGLED OUT  
FOR YOUR GREAT PRESENCE  
AT THE SIDEWALK SALE.  
YOU MADE A POSITIVE  
IMAGE FOR OUR SERVICE.  
Thank You  
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## Tryon, Caren (Police)

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**From:** Police Info (Police)  
**Sent:** Monday, July 11, 2016 12:07 PM  
**To:** Tryon, Caren (Police)  
**Subject:** FW: Thank You Saskatoon Police!

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SASKATCHEWAN'S  
TOP EMPLOYERS

**From:** Munib [REDACTED]  
**Sent:** Friday, July 08, 2016 9:16 PM  
**To:** Police Info (Police)  
**Subject:** Thank You Saskatoon Police!

Dear Chief of Police,

On behalf of the Ahmadiyya Muslim Jama'at, I condemn the inhumane act of violence committed against Dallas Police Department which resulted in death of five officers and several being injured. We pray for the deceased officers and their families. May God be their helper and protector in this time of grief and loss!

On the same note, I would like to express the community's gratitude and sincere thanks to the Saskatoon Police Department for their hard work and dedication. This incident reminds us that how all Police officers put their lives in harm's way to protect civilians.

Police officers have chosen to serve our community. This is an awesome responsibility. They are the ones who stand between us and the vandals, burglars, rapists and murders looking to harm us every day.

On behalf of the Ahmadiyya Muslim Jama'at I would like to say that we stand with SPD which has good, honest, and hard working officers and staff. SPD will find us standing shoulder to shoulder with them in time of need.

Regards,  
Munib [REDACTED]  
Ahmadiyya Muslim Jama'at  
[REDACTED]

Cst. Mitch Barber #787  
Combined Traffic Services  
Specialized Uniform Operations Division



**From:** Mike [REDACTED]  
**Sent:** Thursday, June 30, 2016 12:04 PM  
**To:** Police Info (Police)  
**Subject:** A big thanks

A big thank you to cst. Mitch barbgr badge number 787. I was on my way back from saskatoon when I ran out of gas on the way to Regina when my bike ran out of gas about 15 km from Davidson. Cst mitch seen me on the side of the road trying to figure out what to do now. I turned around and came to help me in my troubled times. He gave me a ride to Davidson to the shell station where I got a jerry can of fuel and he gave me a ride back to my bike. I do applogize to the cleaners of the car tonight because I spilled in gas in the car. I do thank him very much and hope all cops are that nice I hope he gets a award for his kidness to a crazy dirty biker.

Sent from my Samsung device

*Mitch*  
Thank you for taking the time  
to assist this stranded motorist  
at the side of the highway.  
This was a very kind gesture  
on your part! Well done!  
M Chatterbox  
A/Chief

To All Members of the Saskatoon Police Service,

Given the current insanity in the US, it seems like a good time to send this note of sincere thanks to all members of the Saskatoon Police Service. Your work is difficult in ways that we civilians probably can't even understand, but the reason we get to feel safe in our homes and streets is that you are there, doing the work you do. Your love of our community shines out strong, every day. Whenever I see an officer at work, I send you all a silent thanks.

Thank you.

Sincerely,

B. J. Michaels.



**TO:** Darlene Brander, Chairperson  
Board of Police Commissioners

**FROM:** Clive Weighill  
Office of the Chief

**DATE:** 2016 August 26

**SUBJECT:** Action Plans to Reduce Lost Time Injury Frequency

**FILE #:** 2,014

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**ISSUE:**

Lost time injury frequency has been trending upward over the past five years. Even though there was a reduction in 2015, the Saskatoon Police Service is committed to reducing work related injuries and illnesses and has a number of action plans in place to achieve this goal.

**RECOMMENDATIONS:**

That the information be received.

**BACKGROUND:**

At the City Council meeting held on June 27, 2016, a recommendation contained in the report of the Standing Policy Committee on Environment, Utilities and Corporate Services stated “that the Board of Police Commissioners be required to provide additional information on its action plans to reduce lost time injury and frequency.”

A re-cap of the statistics for the Saskatoon Police Service is provided by Dustin Truscott, Manager of Occupational Health and Safety.

In 2015, Police Services lost-time injury frequency reporting was 4.67, a twenty-five percent decrease from the 2014 reported lost-time injury frequency of 6.20.

Police Services medical aid injuries decreased by 6% (those injuries that require medical attention but do not result in time away from work).

The Lost Time Injury Frequency (LTIF) is calculated by multiplying the number of lost-time injuries by 200,000 and then dividing that by the employee labour hours (exposure hours).

$$LTIF = \frac{\text{Number of Lost Time Injuries} \times 200,000}{\text{Number of Employee Labour Hours Worked}}$$

**Trends**

- Saskatoon Police observed a 25% reduction in lost-time injuries in 2015.
- Saskatoon Police saw a reduction in medical aid injuries (6%) in 2015.
- There was a decrease in injury severity by 36% at the Saskatoon Police Service.

CHART 1: LOST TIME INJURY FREQUENCY BY POLICE (LTIF) (2011 TO 2015)

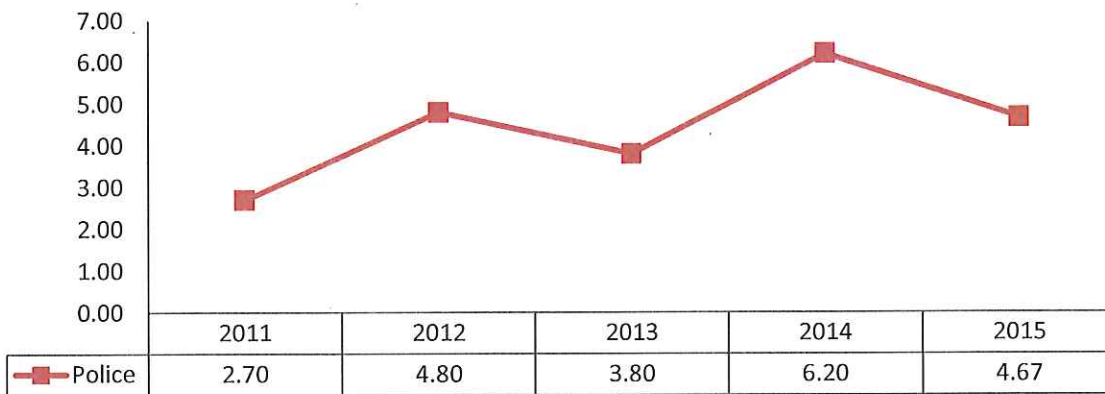
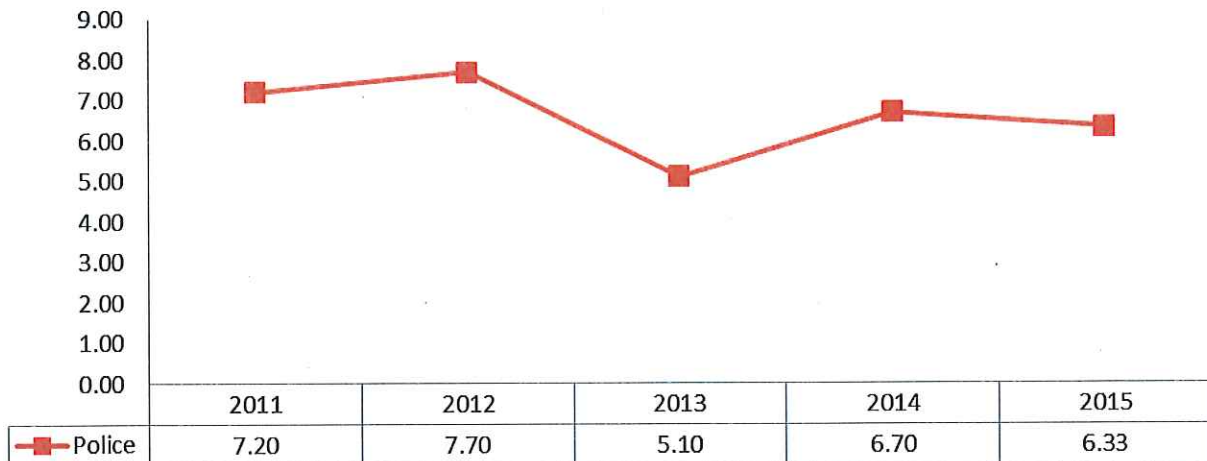


Chart 1 presents the LTIF for the Police Services. Despite an excellent performance in 2015 from 2014, the Saskatoon Police Service has been trending upward over the last five years.

Chart 2 shows that Saskatoon Police Service medical aid frequency decreased last year (2014-2015) and has been experiencing downward trend in medical aid frequency over the last five years.

CHART 2: MEDICAL AID FREQUENCY FOR POLICE SERVICES (2011 TO 2015)



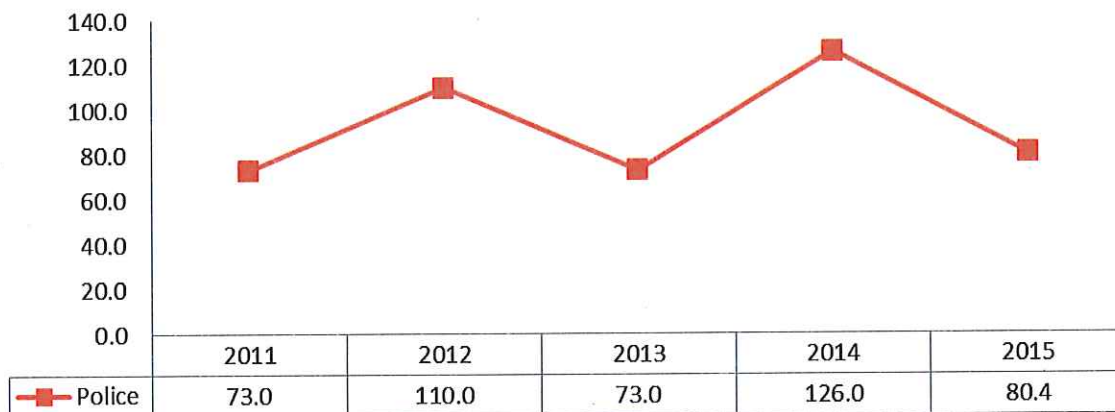
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Medical Aid Frequency is a standard that is used to measure the number of injuries that required medical attention, but did not result in lost time. This calculation uses a similar formula as LTIF.

$$\text{MAF} = \frac{\text{Number of Medical Aid Injuries} \times 200,000}{\text{Number of Employee Labour Hours Worked}}$$

Medical Aid Frequency is a measure of the number of medical aid injuries per 100 employees.

CHART 3: SEVERITY OF INJURY BY POLICE SERVICES (2011 TO 2015)



Injury Severity is calculated by multiplying the number of lost-time days by 200,000 and then dividing that by the employee labour hours (exposure hours). This is a standardized calculation that expresses loss as a representation of days lost per 100 employees.

$$\text{Injury Severity} = \frac{\text{Number of Lost Time Days} \times 200,000}{\text{Number of Employee Labour Hours Worked}}$$

Chart 3 data shows a reduction in injury severity for Saskatoon Police Service in 2015. Saskatoon Police Service injury severity has increased over the last five years despite a reduction from 2014.



CHART 4: LOST TIME DAYS BY POLICE SERVICES (2011 TO 2015)

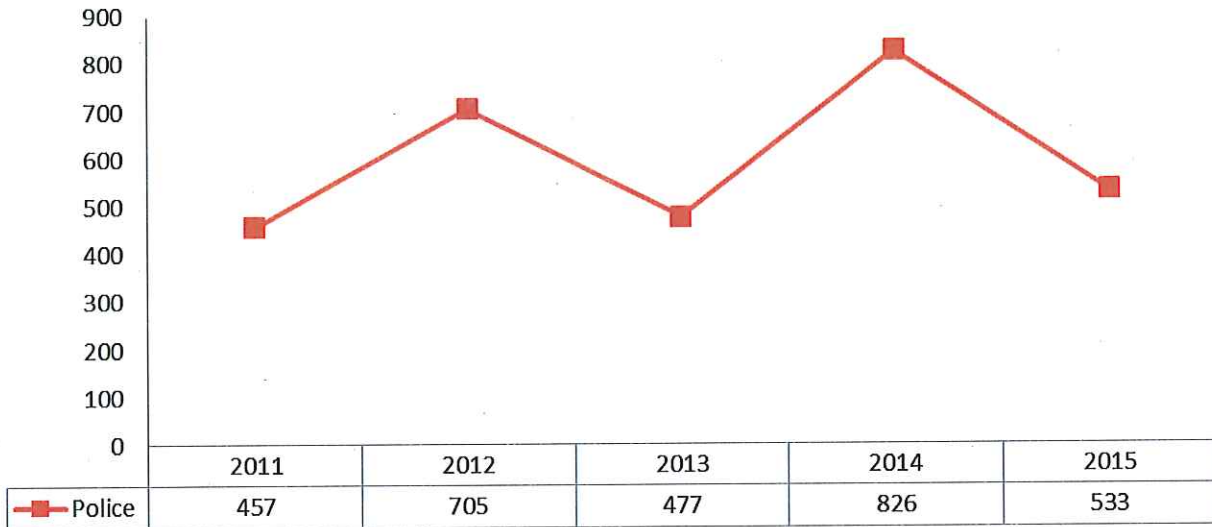
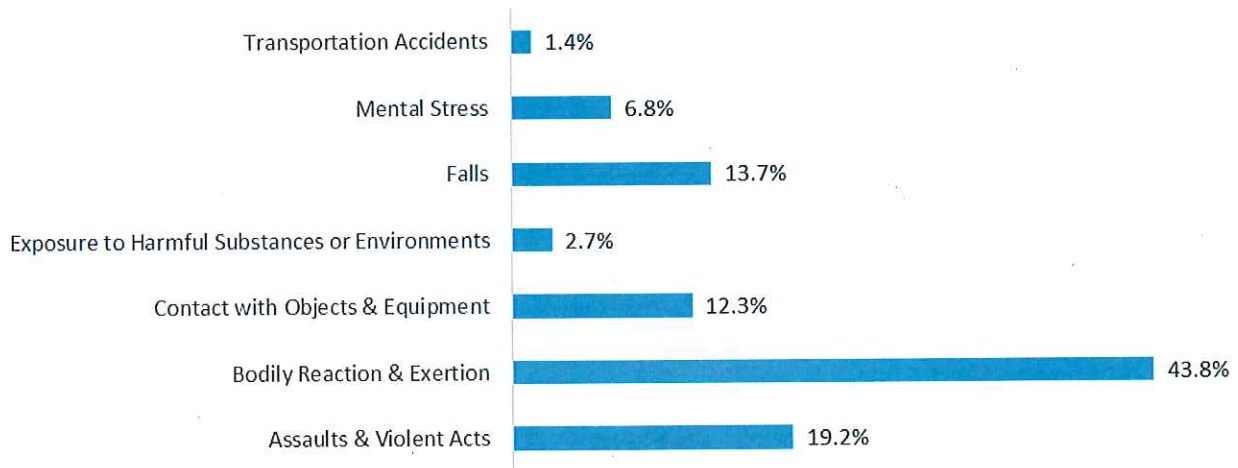


Chart 4 demonstrates a decrease in lost time days in 2015 from 2014. The data also shows an upward trend in lost time days from 2011-2015.

**Injury Trends**

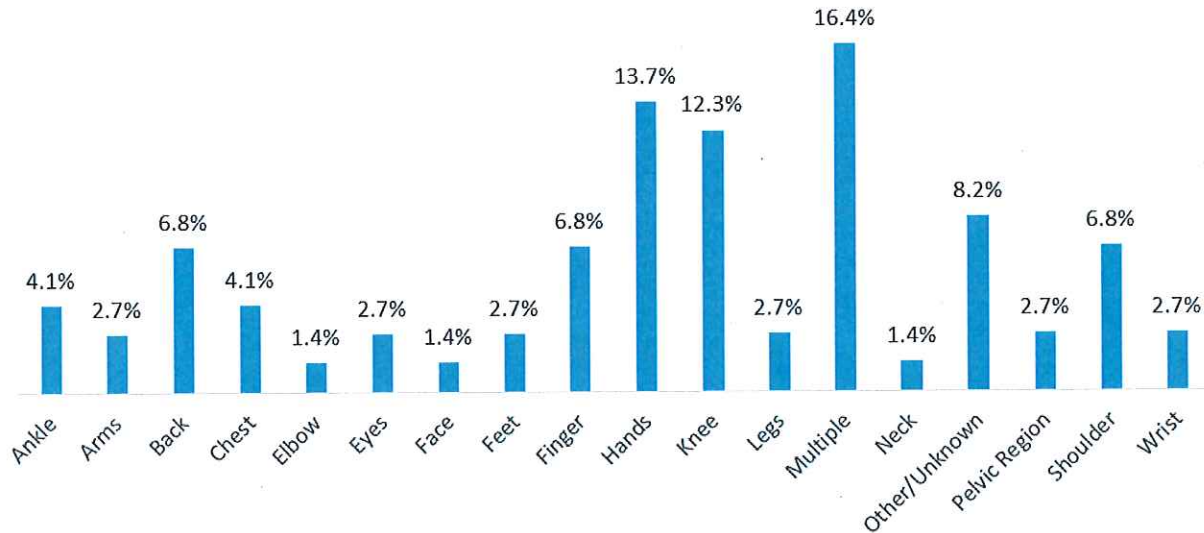
This data represents 73 injuries that resulted in medical treatment (medical-aid or lost-time).

CHART 5: INJURY BY WCB CATEGORY, POLICE SERVICE 2015



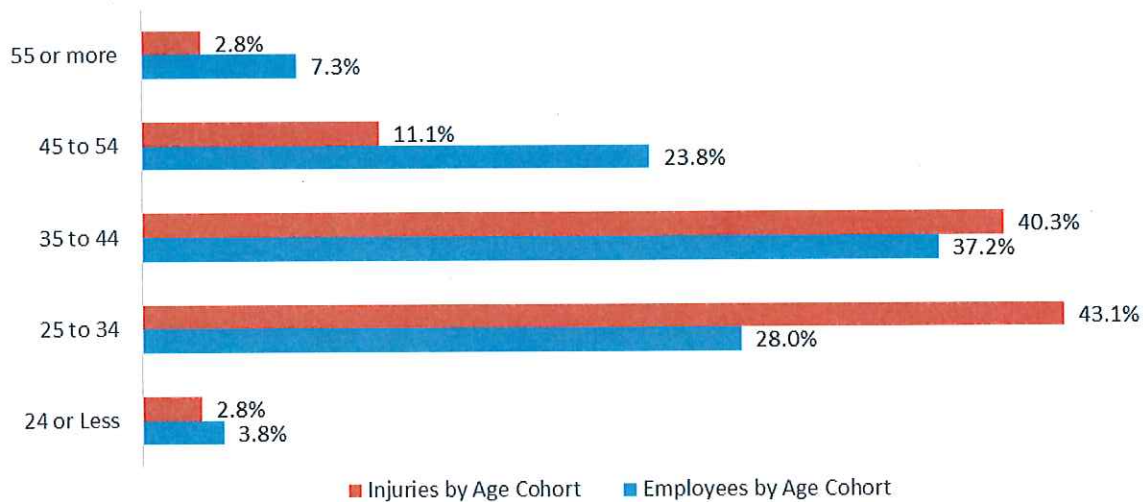
Thirty-two (32) were reported due to over-exertion or a bodily reaction to the activity.

CHART 6: INJURY BY BODY PART, POLICE SERVICE, 2015



As is evident from Chart 6, injuries were distributed over a number of body areas.

CHART 7: PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL INJURIES BY AGE COHORT, 2015



The less than 24 age cohort represents 3.8% of the employee population and accounts for 2.8% of the injuries. The 25-34 cohort represents 28.0% of the employee population and 43.1% of injuries. The 35-44 cohort represents 37.2% of the employee population and 40.3% of injuries. The 45-54 age cohort represents 23.8% of the employee population and accounts for 11.1% of workplace injuries. Finally, the 55+ cohort represents 7.3% of the employee population and accounts for 2.8% of injuries.

**DISCUSSION:**

In 2014, the Saskatoon Police Service and the City of Saskatoon joined the Priority Employer Improvement Program with the Occupational Health and Safety Division of the Ministry of Labour Relations and Workplace Safety. An improvement plan was formalized with the Ministry and quarterly progress reports provided, demonstrating the Service's commitment to mitigating work related injuries and illnesses. A number of goals and action plans have been put in place to reduce the number of work related injuries and illnesses.

**Goal 1: A reduction of psychological injuries**

**Mandatory Psychological Testing**

A top priority for the Human Resources Division is to develop a policy for yearly mandatory psychological testing for members that are in high risk/exceptionally mentally disturbing jobs such as Internet Child Exploitation, Child Abuse, Sex Crimes, Identification, Homicide, etc. The Service has made it a priority to deal with mental health in a proactive manner and prevent members from going off work with psychological injuries. The Service has formed a joint Association/Management committee to address this issue and to develop policy requiring members in certain high risk positions undergo yearly psychological assessments. During the first half of the year, a number of meetings have taken place between the Association and Management and the policy is in draft form and has been sent to the Deputy Chiefs for review.

**Educate members on the Post-Traumatic Stress Disorder (PTSD) and how to recognize signs of other mental health issues**

The SPS partnered with the Prince Albert Police Service to bring the Road to Mental Readiness Instructor program to the Service. The course was scheduled for June 13 to 17, 2016 and two thirds of the cost was covered by a provincial grant. There were 12 SPS employees trained to be instructors. Four of the instructors were civilians with the intent on delivering this training to civilian employees as well. A number of our civilian members are exposed to very disturbing information, having to type graphic reports, investigations and transcripts. Once our instructors are trained we plan to deliver the training to all employees in 2017 and 2018.

In October 2015, the SPS sent 17 members to a two-day Wellness Conference in Moose Jaw. The Annual Wellness Conference is being hosted in Saskatoon this October. With this being a local event, it is hoped that even more members will be able to attend. The Saskatchewan Federation of Police Officers is hosting this year's conference and a number of the speakers will speak on maintaining mental wellness in a very challenging environment.

**Provide training on mental health**

Two SPS Constables have trained 74 employees in Mental Health First Aid. This course helps our members recognize signs and symptoms of a fellow member suffering with mental health challenges. More courses are anticipated in the upcoming months and the training is well-received.

An SPS Sergeant and leader on the Critical Incident Stress Management Team (CISM), has been providing training on parades and to Special Teams such as the Tactical Support Unit and Crisis



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Negotiators on recognizing the signs and symptoms of traumatic stress and cumulative stress. She has also been facilitating training offered to all employees and family members on topics related to mental health including mindfulness training, children and anxiety, caregiver issues and resiliency. She also advised that the CISM team has been responding to traumatic events involving our members with increased frequency. The CISM Policy and Procedures have been recently updated and after any major event there is a debrief held with members involved. These debriefs allow the members a chance to talk about what happened to colleagues in a safe environment.

### **Goal 2: A reduction of injuries caused in the fitness center**

**Develop an employee wellness plan to ensure employees have access to a specialist for physical fitness programs.**

With the move to our new Headquarters building there was a spike in the number of injuries that occurred in the weight room and the gymnasium. The Service hired a part time Wellness Coordinator to assist our members with proper fitness, workout routines and nutrition. This new Wellness Coordinator provides advice and expertise to our membership that will reduce the number of injuries due to strains and over exertion in the gym. He is also providing specific work out plans for members on the Tactical Support Unit and specialized training plans for those applying to work in the Canine Unit. Since November, the Coordinator has personally assisted 205 SPS members (147 sworn and 58 civilian) by implementing various small group and individual fitness initiatives. A proposal has been made to make the position permanent full-time.

### **Goal 3: A reduction of injuries in the parkade due to the slippery surface**

In the winter of 2015 and 2016 there were a number of injuries caused by the slippery surface on the parkade. The parkade is being re-surfaced and the related number of slips and falls is anticipated to be reduced throughout winter months.

### **Goal 4: A reduction of injuries during mandatory training courses**

A review of mandatory Defensive Tactics training course has taken place to determine if any of the scenarios can be delivered in a safer manner. A number of members were getting injured during the warm up exercises for Defensive Tactics and so those activities have been modified. The Instructors have been reminded to consider each participant's fitness level during the training and a concerted effort has been taken to match members with partners at similar physical fitness levels. There has been a 54% decrease in injuries related to Defensive Tactics Training from 2012 to 2014 since the safety audit of this program has taken place.

### **Goal 5: A reduction of injuries related to hearing loss**

A review was completed of hearing protection utilized during annual firearms training. In 2016, the Service implemented annual hearing testing for all Firearms Instructors and is investigating the purchase of custom-fitted ear plugs for instructors to wear under the regular hearing protection. The range masters continue to be vigilant about members wearing proper hearing protection during annual firearms training.

**Goal 6: A reduction of back injuries caused from the weight of the duty belt**

The Equipment Committee is currently researching a load bearing vest which would assist some members that are suffering from back pain caused by the weight of all of the equipment on their duty belts. This vest has provisions to carry non use of force items such as hand cuffs, flash lights, etc. on the vest and takes some of the weight off of the duty belt. There is currently a pilot project underway to evaluate the functionality of the vests and the Occupational Health and Safety Committee and the Equipment Committee will review the outcome of the pilot project. If a member submits appropriate medical documentation they could be issued a load bearing vest.

**Goal 7: Continued review of operational injuries**

A number of injuries to members in Patrol are caused by arresting and apprehending suspects. Even though some injuries are unavoidable due to the nature of police work, each investigation report is reviewed by the injured member’s supervisor and feedback is provided to the member. Corrective action is noted on investigation reports if there is anything that could have been done to avoid or prevent injury.

**Goal 8: Networking with other law enforcement agencies to determine best practices**

In 2016, SPS will be participating in periodic teleconferences with a network of other Occupational Health and Safety practitioners from Western Canada to establish Common best practices. Workplace accommodation, equipment issues and employee wellness are some of the topics that will be explored.

**CONCLUSION:**

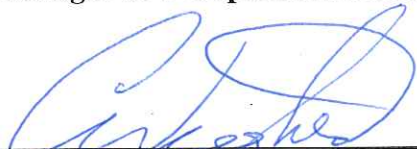
The Service will continue to focus on reducing work related injuries and illnesses. Injury statistics will continue to be reviewed in Human Resources and at the Occupational Health and Safety Committee meetings and preventative measures will continue to be taken. A number of goals and action plans have been set in place to ensure the optimal mental and physical health of our employees is achieved.

**Written and  
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Human Resources Division**

**Dustin Truscott  
Manager of Occupational Health and Safety**

**Submitted by:**

  
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**Clive Weighill  
Chief of Police**

**Dated:**

  
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